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NEW OFFICERS of the Orinda Nursery School Association, installed recently, are headed by these four women—left to right, Mrs. James Seaman, secretary; Mrs. E. J. Unruh, president; Mrs. Philip Thearle, treasurer, and Mrs. T. G. Cullen, vice-president—SUN Photo by Dick Davisson, Jr.

Over Or Under? Orinda Assn. Seeks Meeting With Chamber, State, County

Overpass or underpass?

What does the future hold for the development of Mt. Diablo Boulevard of the Crossroads?

That's something Orindans want to know definitely, so the Orinda Association is making efforts to arrange for a joint meeting in Orinda with Orinda Chamber of Commerce representatives, the State Highway Division and Contra Costa County officials.

Orinda Association directors voted Monday night to start the ball rolling. President Marvin Bonds said he would get in touch with Chamber President Bill Worden, to arrange for having chamber representatives at the joint session, which it is hoped can be held before July 15.

Following general agreement between the Orinda Association and the Chamber of Commerce on preliminary details, the office of Col. John Skeggs, district engineer for the State Division of Highways, will be contacted, as will Supervisor H. L. Cummings and County Surveyor and Road Commissioner Joseph Barkley.

SEEK UNDERSTANDING

As the result of these "feelers," it is hoped to have a joint conference at which understanding can be reached on what's in store for the community, traffically speaking, and on the best approach to some of the pressing and steadily increasing traffic problems.

Those problems were the topic of much of the discussion at Monday night's meeting of Orinda Association directors at the Orinda Grammar School. One of the highlights of the discussion was a report by Directors Kirk Miles and Bob Clough on a recent meeting at Stanley Allen's office, at which Miles and Clough represented the Orinda Association and Allen, Frank Black and Frank Olsen represented the Orinda Chamber of Commerce.

At this meeting, held June 21, Allen reported a tentative favorable reaction from Don Rheem and Arthur Breed toward the idea of deeding to the county a strip of their sidewalks along Moraga Highway from Camino Encinas to Golden Gate Road, if the county would build the new curb.

This, it was felt, would mean being a step closer to a solution of the traffic-jam problem, since it would result in the widening of Moraga Highway there by about four feet.

However, Rheem and Breed were said to want to see detailed plans before making any commitments.

PARKING ANGLE

Miles reported that the recent joint meeting discussed the possibility of having cars along Moraga Highway park at a 30-degree angle instead of a 45-degree angle, to cut down street congestion.

"Another thing that concerned the meeting was the rumor that the State had completed plans for an overpass, since it would be cheaper to construct and would be more adaptable to the highway dip starting at the Crossroads. There are rumors that plans have been drawn for an overpass, but we'd all like to see those plans," Miles said.

STREET SIGNS

Acting on recommendation of the Civic Affairs Committee to obtain more and uniform street signs in Orinda, the association directors Monday night decided to write to Cummings and Barkley to learn if a county offer to put up county highway signs, made some time ago, still held good, and to ask Fire Chief H. E. Wyatt to make a list of spots where signs are needed.

It was also decided to inform Cummings and Barkley that Orinda Highway, in front of the Orinda Grammar School, had sunk 12 to 15 inches at the shoulders.

At one point, President Bonds observed: "When you hit the Crossroads and go out toward St. Mary's you cannot go back to the Crossroads without making a U-turn."

A report that a representative of the Contra Costa Safety Council, after reading the article about traffic hazards in last week's Orinda SUN, had offered to consult with the association resulted in decision to invite him to meet with the association.

Explorer Post Starts on Trek

Fourteen Explorers of Orinda Post 300, accompanied by three adult leaders, leave today for a back-to-nature trip to the Marble Mountain primitive area near Redding. The party plans to return July 9.

Primarily planned as a fishing and exploring expedition, the post members will pack into the backwoods about 60 miles, where they will explore six lakes in that country, as well as try their luck at trout fishing. The party will do its own cooking and set up camps en route to the lake area.

This is the second annual such program for the Explorers of Diablo Area, with only Orinda post taking part this year.

Those in the party will be Dave Todd, Dick Rogers, Bob Wickman, Jim Hall, Charles Gompertz, Bob Harrison, Don Reid, Stan Pedder, Joe Conley, Charles Kops, Tom Moorish, Ted Beckett, Bob Crall and John Davey.

Adult leaders are Dr. R. C. Hall, Dr. E. S. Rogers and R. D. Harrison.

The trek is sponsored by the Post 300 Citizens' Committee.

Parkway Court Request Referred By Supervisors

A request from W. H. Lloyd that the county accept Parkway Court as a county road was referred Monday by the County Board of Supervisors to the county surveyor and Supervisor H. L. Cummings.

Two Fall Meetings Planned in Orinda

Two community meetings—the first on international relations and the second an entertaining program to raise funds for the Community Center—are being planned for this fall by the Orinda Association's Board of Directors.

Preliminary plans for these public meetings were discussed Monday night by the directors at their meeting at Orinda Grammar School. Suggestion of a meeting on international relations was made by Bob Spott and general approval was voted. Consensus was that such a gathering should be arranged with the aid of the World Affairs Council.

President Marvin Bonds asked the Civic Affairs Committee, of which Bob Clough is chairman, to map plans for a fund-raising meeting later in the fall.

Previous public meetings conducted by the association have been highly successful. The last one was May 31, when a "Meet the Candidates" Town Hall rally attracted a near-capacity audience, addressed by candidates for political office.

SUMMER MEETINGS

President Bonds announced that the directors would continue meeting regularly during the summer, thus giving assurance to the Civic Affairs Committee that it will have good basis for committee meetings. The committee had stated it would meet during the summer if the directors held their sessions.

William Penn Mott reported that the situation at the quarry near the Kaiser property was dangerous, with three huge pieces of rock overhanging the road. These rocks might be hurtled down onto the road, he warned.

Manhole covers along Orinda Highway were still wobbly, Bob Clough declared.

Secretary Mrs. Roberta Spiegl announced that the next meeting of association directors will be July 31.

Orinda Rotary Will See Hunting Film Next Week

Following a round table session at Casa Orinda Wednesday afternoon, a regular meeting of the Orinda Rotary Club was held at the home of the new president, Frank Olsen, that evening.

Committeemen were named for the new year and plans for the future program were discussed.

At the meeting scheduled for next week, a California hunting and fishing film provided by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company will be shown members and guests. Frank Shirey will be in charge of providing the program.

Agree on Fill-In For Chapel Area At Orinda Center

Members of the Community Church Building Committee and directors of the Orinda Association have reached agreement on the problem of what to do with the piles of soil recently excavated from the church property onto the Community Center site.

With letters slated to be exchanged between the church group and the association directors so that a record will be on file, the picture after Monday night's discussion was:

In preparations to build the 200-seat chapel, earth was dumped on a section of the Community Center. Later it was found that the ground sloped sharply below the spot for the chapel.

Chairman Ralph E. Phelps of the church building committee informed association directors that the church will take back most of the dumped earth. A 10-foot dirt shelf will extend over Community Center property when the chapel is built. If at some future time the association wants this soil removed, the church will do so, he said.

William Penn Mott, also of the church committee, cited the need for permanent records of the various transactions, and it was agreed that confirming letters would be exchanged between the two groups.

As soon as grading is finished, bids will be let for the chapel building, Phelps said. The church has its present regular building and a children's building. The chapel, the third church structure for the grounds, is being planned so that it can be partitioned for other purposes.

Summer Days Are Lazy Days

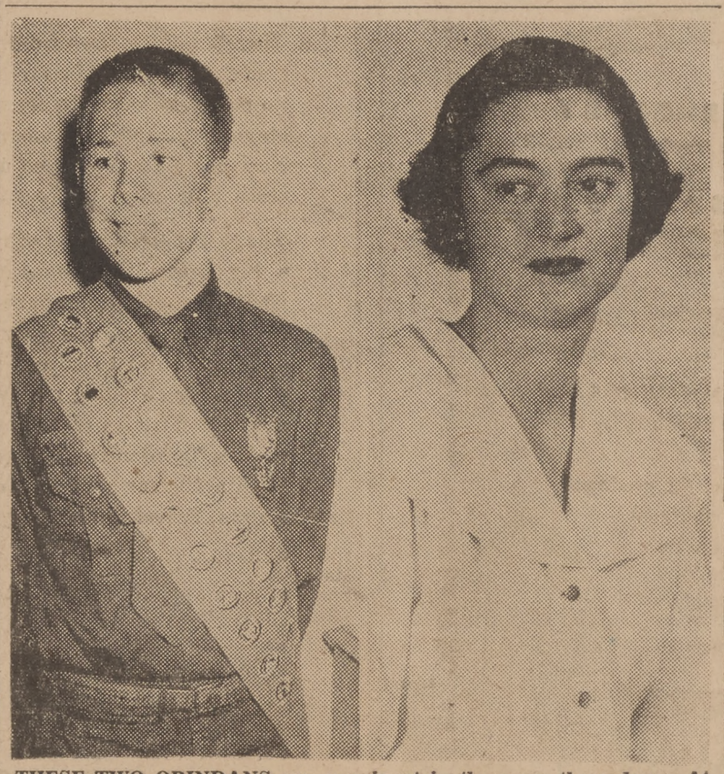
Nice warm weather we're having, we'd say. Not exactly conducive to hard labor, but nice in an unenergizing way that is causing the bossman a lot of worry over slowed up production. Oh, well, summer only comes once a year; bosses will have to make some allowances!

Coolish evenings registered at 42 degrees last Friday in Lafayette with Orindans enjoying a temperature of 41 degrees the 25th and 26th.

And then the mercury started to go to town. Maximum of 89 degrees the 27th in Orinda was topped by Lafayette's 93 degrees the same day.

We'll tell you what our local weather bureau's report is for Wednesday in next week's issue. We knew if we discovered it was as hot as we thought it was, there'd be no more work done, so we didn't check with the weatherman. Let well enough alone, we always say.

They say autumn weather is nice around here, cool and crisp. Hm-m!



THESE TWO ORINDANS are prominent in the news these days. At left is Explorer Scout Tom Morrish, 15, of Post 300, who recently received his Eagle rank. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kendric Morrish of 35 Irvine Drive. At right is Mrs. Edward de Laveaga, president of Kappa Province of Kappa Kappa Gamma, who is attending Kappa Kappa Gamma's 38th biennial convention at Murray Bay, Canada, which started last Saturday and continues through July 1.

School Site Snag Complicates District Plans for Sale of 700 Acres at Orinda

Within "a matter of days or a very short time" the East Bay Municipal Utility District expects to offer for sale the first portion of some 700 acres of its land in the Orinda area which it will eventually sell, John W. McFarland, general manager of the E.B.M.U.D., told the SUN this week.

Admitting that the whole situation, particularly the sale of district property at the Crossroads, is complicated by the current snag in negotiations toward a high school site in Orinda. McFarland said that the long-range plan was for sale of land from the Crossroads up to Charles Hill, some for commercial and some for residential use.

Appraisers are now checking the land for the district, McFarland stated, and some of their findings are expected to be ready shortly. Some 50 individual inquiries about possible sale of the district's Orinda area land have been received recently, he added.

CONDEMNATION SUIT

Following prolonged negotiations between the Acalanes High School District and the E.B.M.U.D. for purchase of some 30 acres at the northeast corner of the Crossroads for a high school site, in which the school trustees and the utility district were unable to agree on price, the high school district recently filed condemnation proceedings against the land.

According to McFarland, the school district indicated it was willing to pay around $70,000 for a site which would include the strip along the highway, while the E.B.M.U.D.'s suggested figure was in the neighborhood of $175,000.

"But we indicated that if the school district would go back 250 feet plus the road—altogether, back about 300 feet—we'd sell it for $70,000, and would fence the road."

PUBLIC DISTRICT

McFarland stressed that the district is keenly aware of the pressing educational needs of this rapidly growing area, but also emphasized that it is a public district, of which Orinda and Lafayette residents are members. With his offices located in Oakland, he is an Orinda resident himself.

"We're all members," he said. "We want to sell the property for as much as possible. We'll be selling your public property and it is to your interest that the sale be as advantageous as possible."

One of the school district's reasons for wanting the plot up to the highway, McFarland said, was that it desired a football field on level ground, in front of the school. The utility district suggsted that a football field could be built on filled ground, farther back. The front strip is most valuable as future business sites.

With McFarland here when he was interviewed by the SUN was Hart Eastman, manager of the public relations division of E.B.M.U.D., who this Saturday becomes assistant secretary. Eastman's duties will include the continued handling of public relations.

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School Bond Issue Gets Endorsement From Orinda Assn.

Date of the community meeting for acquainting the public with the details of the proposed $400,000 Orinda school bond issue, to be voted on July 25, is expected to be set at next Monday night's meeting of the Orinda School District Board of Trustees.

According to Edgar Stewart, member of the board, the subjects of school bus transportation and the coming school bond election will be discussed Monday night. The board meeting will be at the Orinda Grammar School, and will start at 8 p.m.

High public interest in the bond issue and the community mass meeting, which is planned for the week preceding the election, was evidenced when the directors of the Orinda Association, meeting last Monday night at the Orinda Grammar School, followed the recommendations of the association's Civic Affairs Commitee and unanimously endorsed the bond issue. The committee last week endorsed the bond issue.

Expressing his personal approval of the proposed school bonds, President Marvin Bonds commended the school board for "the good work they have done in the past."

Bob Clough suggested that the school district send postcards to registered voters in the district, informing them of the date of the election. Although this suggestion was not acted upon, it was felt that in future elections concerning the school district, the school board should send informative letters in advance to all registered voters.

Orinda Chamber Meets Thursday

Next meeting of the board of directors of the Orinda Chamber of Commerce will be held at noon next Thursday at the Casa Orinda, it is announced by President Bill Worden. The gathering will be a luncheon meeting.

Area Growth May Necessitate Opening Of Local Branch Office by EBMUD

By JULIUS ROSENTHAL

So rapidly is the Lafayette-Orinda area growing that the East Bay Municipal Utility District may possibly open a local branch office, General Manager John W. McFarland disclosed to the SUN this week.

Although there has so far been no official consideration of this possibility, McFarland revealed that informal discussions of the problem had been held with "a couple of the directors."

Here for a look-see at this important section of the public utility district's vast holdings, McFarland and Hart Eastman, public relations division manager, were interviewed by the SUN.

"This area is growing at a far greater rate than our area as a whole," McFarland pointed out. "So it may be wise, in order to ensure top service and convenience for the residents here, to open a branch office in the area some day, with a local manager in charge."

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The rapid growth of the area and the hilly topography here, he continued, makes the area a difficult key problem, "with an extraordinary amount of planning and money to be involved in solving the problem."

McFarland explained that for every 200 feet of elevation a separate pressure zone for water is necessary. "We have 77 different pressure zones for the whole district," he said. "This necessitates the many installations, of the district, including storage tanks."

Expert landscaping around the tanks makes the tank locations attractive spots instead of eyesores, McFarland said.

CONDUCTED TOURS

Both McFarland and Eastman emphasized that the district is eager for the people ("They're the district's stockholders," McFarland interjected) to see the district's installations and learn how the district operates its system.

"Tours of the Orinda filter plant by groups and individuals are being conducted by us right along," McFarland said. "Similarly, the public is shown other operating centers."

A suggestion was made by the SUN representatives that the Lafayette dam, to the west of the Lafayette business district, be opened for conducted tours and public inspection. McFarland and Eastman said this suggestion would be considered.

FENCING-OFF

As to the fencing-off of areas around dams and installations, it was pointed out that this is necessary for public welfare.

"There are three big factors to bear in mind," Eastman said. "One is the danger of water pollution, another is erosion control and the third is fire hazard.

"It is essential to keep the water supply as pure as possible, because the water in the tanks would have to be used by the public in case of an emergency breakdown of other sources.

"Erosion control is extremely important. A fire could knock off a lot of the ground cover.

"Then, there's the general danger of fire if the areas are not fenced off."

For these reasons, he explained, permission could not be given to various groups for camping or picnicking at these sites.

PINE LANE

Regarding the threat of court

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Area Building Permits Jump $55,000 To Reach $190,657 for 20 Jobs

Up some $55,000 from the previous week, building permits issued for the Lafayette-Orinda area for the week ending June 23 numbered 20 and totaled $190,657 in estimated cost of construction.

This compared with 19 permits totaling over $135,000 for the week ending June 16.

As in the previous week, all but two of the permits were for residential construction—13 for residence and garage, one for residence and carport, three for residence only and one for residence addition. The two exceptions were for a pump house in Lafayette and a swimming pool in Orinda. Residential construction estimates totaled $189,369.

Following is the list of permits:

Lafayette:

Cliff Jones, residence and garage, Broadmoor Tract, Lot 9, Broadmoor and St. Mary's Road, $9,234.

R. J. Kutsky, pump house, Brown Avenue, one mile from Mt. Diablo Boulevard, $288.

Carl Francee, residence and garage, Paradise Acres, Lot 9, Rosedale Avenue and St. Mary's Road, $10,506.

Victor E. Perry, residence and garage, Happy Valley Glen, Lot 73, Glen Road and Monticello, $9,636.

Al Bava, residence and garage, Happy Valley Park, Lot 30, North Peardale Drive, $11,292.

E. L. Shierry, residence only. east side of street, adjacent to Blankenship Brook, East and Brook Street, $18,816.

R. L. Dorsey, residence addition, 3204 Glenside Drive and Reliez Station Road, $5,544.

Fred Angella, residence and garage, Lafayette Gardens, Lot 5 and Por. 4, Elizabeth and Dyer, $9,180.

Robert Bignami, residence and garage, Upper Happy Valley Estates, Unit 1, Lot 15, Rahara Drive and Natasha Drive, $13,782.

John Newhouse, residence and garage, Lafayette Heights, Lot 16, Mariposa Avenue and Mountain View, $7,320.

Orinda:

Ernest Salera, residence and garage, Encinas De Moraga, Lot 39, Camino Encinas and Moraga Avenue, $9,270.

G. W. Mulks, residence and garage, Moraga Del Rey, Lot 66, Don Gabriel Way and La Cresta Road, $11,934.

Edward S. Engelke, residence only, Moraga Estates, Lot 97, Oakwood Road and Moraga Highway, $8,166.

J. E. Irwin, swimming pool, Sleepy Hollow No. 3, Lot 239, Sleepy Hollow Lane and Tarry Lane, $1,000.

W. P. Ruedrich, residence only, Hacienda Del Orinda, Lot 105, La Cuesta Road, $13,620.

Lester G. Annett, residence and garage, Orinda Uplands, Lot 49, Diablo View and Trampas View, $16,590.

F. R. Berry, Jr., residence and carport, Sleepy Hollow No. 2, Por. 110, Lombardy Lane, $8,875.

M. H. Healey, residence and garage, Sleepy Hollow, Lot 187, Lombardy Lane and Irving Lane, $9,030.

Moraga:

Howard M. Dail, residence and garage, Moraga Meadows No. 3, Lot 96, Daryl Drive and Overhill Road, $8,310.

Fred T. Wood, Inc., residence and garage, Lost Valley Estates, Lot 47-A, Lost Valley Drive, $8,622.

Dr. W. F. McIntire Resigns Post For College Job

Dr. Wayne F. McIntire has resigned from the staff of the county superintendent of schools to accept a position as associate professor of education at Los Angeles State College.

His successor as director of instructional field services will be R. F. Sando, a member of the county staff for three years, County Superintendent B. O. Wilson announced.

Dr. McIntyre ha sleft Martinez to serve for the fourth successive year as director of San Francisco State College summer session at Modesto Junior College before assuming his new duties in Southern California. Mrs. McIntire and the couple's two children, Margaret Ann and Cathryn, were to go directly to Los Angeles. Their home in Martinez was at 1044 Arlington Way.

A member of the county superintendent's staff since 1947, Dr. McIntire came to Contra Costa in 1942 as principal of Antioch Junior High School and after a year in Eureka as junior high school principal ,accepted a similar position in Martinez.

Dr. McIntire has been active in the community as chairman of the Martinez Recreation Commission and the Martinez Boy Scout District and member of the Lions Club. He has been a bishop of the Latter Day Saints Church for five years. He also played a leading role in the establishment of the Contra Costa Junior College.

As Dr. McIntire's successor, Sando brings to the director's position varied experience as teacher and administrator in the mid-west. He holds bachelor of arts and master of education degrees and has done graduate work at the University of California.

$3,468 Paid County by Housing Authority

The Housing Authority of the County of Contra Costa has paid $3,468.62 into the county coffers for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1948.

The total was reached last week when the second payment of $1,675.49 in lieu of taxes was made to County Auditor D .M. Teeter.

Sigmund Mahler, executive director of the Authority, stated that the auditor will make proper distribution of the funds to the various taxing districts.

July 4 Swim Races Set For Carroll Ranch Club

Members and guests of the Carroll Ranch Club, Rheem and Moraga Boulevards, will enjoy swimming races at the club on July Fourth.

Manager Tom Carroll of the club announced that, in addition to the swimming during the day, there may be dancing Monday evening.

Mrs. Nellie S. Davis Leaves for Washington

Mrs. Nellie S. Davis, who has been staying throughout the winter months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Westfall of Hough Street, left recently for an extended visit among relatives and friends in Seattle and Kelso, Wash.

BOND SALES AT 41.1%

Contra Costa County sales of Series "E" Savings Bonds have reached $301,842, which is 48.1 per cent of its assigned quota in the current "Save For Your Independence" Drive. This announcement was made by R. C. Bryce of Pittsburg, who is volunteer Savings Bond Chairman for the county.

NLAPW Branch Joins League

Dorothy Betts Marvin, national president of the National League of American Pen Women, was honored at a luncheon at the Walnut Creek Art and Garden Center recently. Branch presidents and members of nine northern California branches made reservations for the affair at which the newly organized Diablo Valley Branch received its charter and was formally welcomed into the league. Geneva K. Davis of Chico, 4th national vice president, and Celeste G. Murphy of Sonoma, state president for northern California, were honor guests.

Mrs. Marvin, a charming and capable woman, is prominent in many women's organizations and is well known as a lecturer and play reviewer. She is the wife of Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president of George Washington University, and the primary occasion of her visit here was to attend commencement at Standford University, where their son received a degree.

Members of the new branch are prominent in literary circles in the Bay Area. Professional standards and sales are a requirement for membership in the league.

BACK FROM BIJOU

Mrs. Earl Gudmundson of Lafayette and children, Carol, Peter and Wendy Jane recently spent an enjoyable weekend at Bijou.

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Civil Service Exams Now Open

The U .S. Civil Service Commission today announced an examination for cotton technologist to fill positions paying from $3,825 to $6,400 a year in the Production and Marketing Administration of the Department of Agriculture in Washington, D. C., and in the southern and southwestern parts of the country. The optional branches of the examination include cottonseed technology, fiber technology, ginning technology, and textile technology.

No written test is required. To qualify, applicants must have completed a 4-year college course in one of the branches of cotton technology or have had 4 years of appropriate technical experience. In addition, they must have had from 1 to 3 years of professional experience in one of the branches of cotton technology. Provision is made for the substitution of pertinent graduate study for 2 years of the required professional experience.

They also report they are not getting enough applicants for several examinations which are now open until further notice. They are seeking more applications for these Federal positions in California, Arizona and Nevada: Dental Hygienist, GS-3 and 4, $2650 and $2875 a year; Medical Officer, GS-11 to GS-13, $5400 to $7600 a year; and Pharmacist, GS-5 and 7, $3100 and $3825 a year.

To qualify for Dental Hygienist positions, applicants must be registered as dental or oral hygienists in a state or territory in the United States or in the District of Columbia. For Grade GS-4, applicants must show the successful completion of a full course of at least one academic year of study in a residence school of Dental Hygiene or not less than one full year of technical experience as a Dental or Oral Hygenist. For Grade GS-5 applicants must show the successful completion of a full course of at least one academic year of study in a residence school of Dental Hygiene and one full year of technical experience as a Dental or Oral Hygienist or at least two full years of technical experience as a Dental or Oral Hygienist.

Examination for making probational appointments to the position of Customs Verifier, GS-3, in the offices of the Appraiser of Merchandise, Bureau of Customs located in Collection Districts 25 (headquarters, San Diego); 26 (headquarters, Nogales, Arizona); 27 (headquarters, Los Angeles); and 28 (headquarters, San Francisco). Most positions are in the headquarters cities. The salary for these positions is $2650 a year.

Duties of the positions involve opening and unpacking packages of imported merchandise, verifying the contents by comparison with the invoice, preparing reports and repacking merchandise.

Competitive examinations for four other classes of county employment were recently announced.

Institution Helper, which is open for men only, pays a monthly salary of $187 to $225. Applicants, who must have resided in the county for a year, must have had an eighth grade education. No experience is required. Last date for filing applications is July 7, 1950.

Applicants for Painter must have completed the eighth grade and an apprenticeship as a painter. Two years as a journeyman painter is also required. All applicants must have resided in the county for the past year. Last day for filing applications for the position, which pays a monthly salary of $326 to $357, is July 7, 1950.

New Village Opens in Contra Costa

Parchester Village, a 5,000 home, $30 million housing development north of Richmond, was officially opened recently as its first residents moved into their new homes.

Marking the opening was the formal dedication of the home of Rev. G. G. Griffin, pastor of the Macedonia Baptist Church of Richmond. Program for the dedication began with musical selections by the band of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church of Oakland. A prayer by Mr. Davis and a welcoming address to the large throng, on hand for the ceremony, by the Rev. G. W. McGlothen preceded an official dedication prayer by the Reverend Williams.

The outdoor program concluded with an address by John I. Hennessy of the Associated Home Builders, representing the Earl W. Smith Organization builders and developers of Parchester Village.

First residents of the "home community for all Americans" are finding their ranks augmented daily as more families occupy their new homes. With over 50 dwellings complete, each work day is seeing three more houses added to the total. Under construction at present are more than 200 homes while sales, reportedly the largest in the Bay Area, have now passed the 450 mark.

Slots Illegal Come Juy 15

Loss of liquor licenses faces those club operators who fail to comply with the new slot machine laws. George Reilly, chairman of the State Board of Equalization, has warned that July 15 is the deadline.

Many social organiaztions have been using the machines to help defray cost of operations. Many clubs have already announced that without the machines they will have to suspend operations.

Reilly stated that enforcement of the law on a statewide basis would be made.

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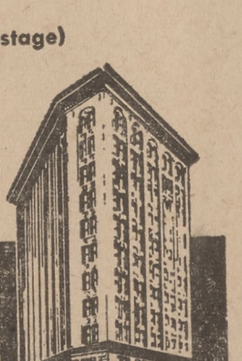

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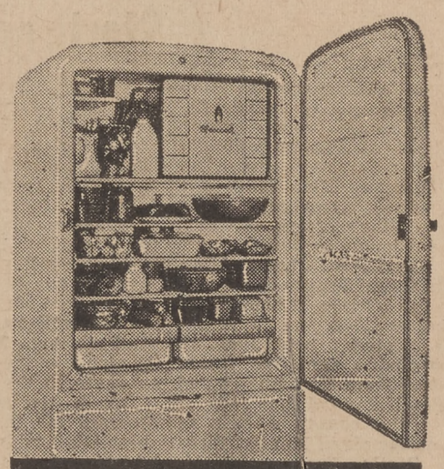

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County Leads in Bay Area Sales Rise Since 1939

Contra Costa and Alameda counties head the list of Bay Areas in the sale of merchandise and sales outlets over the 1939-48 period. More than three times as much was sold in the latter year as the former, the Bay Area Council announced.

The overall increase was 17.6 per cent but Contra Costa showed a 79.2 per cent and Alameda a 57.6 per cent rise in sales outlets, while Contra Costa showed a 399.8 per cent and Alameda a 384.2 per cent rise in sales.

The report showed San Francisco was the main center, with 78 per cent of the volume, but this was against the 84 pe rcent it showed in 1939.

Paullin Talks On Democracy, Foreign Policy

Theodore Paullin, Ph.D., of New Britain, Conn., was the speaker last Sunday at two services of the Orinda Community Church. At 10 o'clock he spoke on the moral principles of democracy, pointing out the way in which these ideals are damaged or destroyed in the course of "defending" them through the currently accepted means of force. Text for his presentation of the Quaker position was "What shall it profit a nation if it gain the whole world and lose its own soul?" Easy-going attitudes toward mass bombing, denial of enemies as children of God, necessity for totalitarian methods in wartime and curtailment of religious liberty and conscience were cited as moral dangers to the American people.

At an evening forum presided over by Kirk Miles, chairman of the church's committee on public affairs and social issues, Dr. Paullin presented the background and summary on the proposals embodied in a report on "The United States and the Soviet Union," prepared by a Friends' commission as part of the program financed through the Nobel Prize awarded to the American Friends Service Committee in 1947. Paullin was a member of the commission. Many of the proposals recommended in this study have become independently the United States policy, though basically the State Department is not sympathetic with the report, the speaker said.

Mrs. J. Hammond Injured at Picnic

Mrs. J. Hammond of Moraga suffered a broken knee and several cracked ribs when she fell while playing with their children at a picnic at the Hatfield ranch in Moraga last Sunday.

She is in the Herrick Memorial Hospital and will remain there for some weeks.

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Estimate 30 Million Acre Loss to Fire

Wildlife Management Institute states that about 30,000,000 acres of woodlands probably will be burned this year. But, it goes on, if some simple rules reccommended by the U. S. Forest Service are followed, farmers and other landowners may save their acreage from being added to that tragic total.

These precautions are all basic, and all are relatively easy and inexpensive to put into effect. Fire lanes of from four to six feet wide should be plowed between your woodlands and adjoining woodlots. Firebreaks should be hoed around any sawmills, cottages and other structures in the woods, along with picnic spots, to prevent the spread of fire. Tree tops and limbs left by loggers should be broken into small pieces and scattered to hasten decay.

Debris and trash should be cleaned up around buildings.

Fire fighting tools should be available, and wells kept clean and in good repair. Each owner should work out a mutual fire prevention program with his neighbors. Dry weeds and grasses on open strips around forest edges and on roads adjoining or crossing the property should be cut.

A little time and a very small amount of money, will do the job. And if it is done, a very high degree of fire security for the property involved will be attained. After all, most fires—whether in woodlots or anywhere else—are the result of human failure to take simple precautions.

Pleasant Hills Cubs Are Champs

Pleasant Hills Cub Pack 58 baseball team is the undisputed victor of the Diablo Area Cub Baseball League following the All-Stars-Pack 58 game at the annual Diablo Area picnic held at Acalanes High School last Saturday.

The championship team, wresting its laurels from Orinda Cub Pack 58 at a play-off game the week before, met the All-Stars team composed of players from the various packs, and triumphed 11 to 10. This was the first of the annual All-Star games to go into extra innings, with eight innings played in the tilt.

A large turnout of boys and their parents attended the picnic session, with awarding of the baseball trophy followed by a variety of races in which the boys all competed.

This yearly program marks the conclusion of the cubbing sessions for the season.

Special Service Set for Sunday At Orinda Church

At the joint service for church and Sunday school of the Orinda Community Church next Sunday at 10 o'clock there will be another installment of the story, "Roll On, Wagon Wheels," for the children and an Independence Day service and sermon for adults on the theme, "Men of the Pilgrim Heart." Mrs. Baker is to be at the organ. Rev. Fred Morrow conducts the service and preaches.

The regular monthly Communion Service will be conducted at 8 o'clock for Episcopal parishoners.

Lafayette Lions Will Back Center

Lions Clubs in the area are giving their backing to Mt.Diablo Child Therapy Center's site and building fund, according to a recent announcement from a center representative. Lafayette Lions recently presented a check for $1435 to the undertaking, proceeds from a two day event last autumn which included an outstanding fashion show and luncheon.

Walnut Creek Lions Club has presented a check for $2691 to the Center as their part in ensuring continuation of the project, as one of their major undertakings this past year.

The North Rim of the Grand Canyon is about 1200 feet higher than the South Rim.

Fun, Thrills Fill Diablo District Cub Scout Picnic

The Fourth Annual Cub Scouts and Parents Picnic was held at Acalanes High last Saturday.

Diablo District Cubbing groups participating in the fun of the day were: Packs 32 and 52, each sponsored by the Cub Scout Parents Committee of Orinda; Packs 38 and 78, sponsored by the Lafayette Dads Club; Pack 45, sponsored by the Pleasant Hills Parent-Teacher Association; Pack 58, sponsored by the Diablo View Parents Club; Pack 46, sponsored by the Cub Scout Citizens Committee of Ygnacio Valley; Pack 6, sponsored by the Walnut Creek Rotary Club; Pack 43, sponsored by the Walnut Creek Methodist Men's Club; Pack 59, sponsored by the Women's Club of Walnut Creek; Pack 57, of Canyon and Moraga, sponsored by the Canyon Civic Club and Pack 36, sponsored by American Legion Post 246, Danville.

Assembly and presentation of colors started the day's program; the pledge to the flag was led by Scout Don Sweetland.

In addition to the softball game, between Pleasant Hills Pack 58 and an All-Star team, which Pack 58 won, 11 to 10, Leaders Joe DeBois of Pack 6, Irving Jensen, Pack 43, and Norman Tieslau, Pack 59, conducted a program of games for the boys who were not interested in baseball.

Following a picnic lunch, Cubmaster Haywood Gathings of Pack 58. Pack 32 has held the trophy for Scout Softball Trophy to Bob Marsh, captain of this year's champs, Pack 58. Pac k32 has held the trophy for the past two years.

The day's program was topped off with sack races, wheelbarrow races and sprints. These contests were under the supervision of Bill Evans, Pack 36. Bobby Ross and Rodger Franklin of Moraga won the wheelbarrow race.

Kendric Morrish Named Treasurer Of Oakland C of C

Kendric B. Morrish of Orinda, assistant vice-president of the American Trust Company at the company's Oakland main office, has been elected treasurer of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce for the 1950-51 fiscal year.

The Oakland chamber's election of officers occurred last week at a luncheon meeting of the board of directors.

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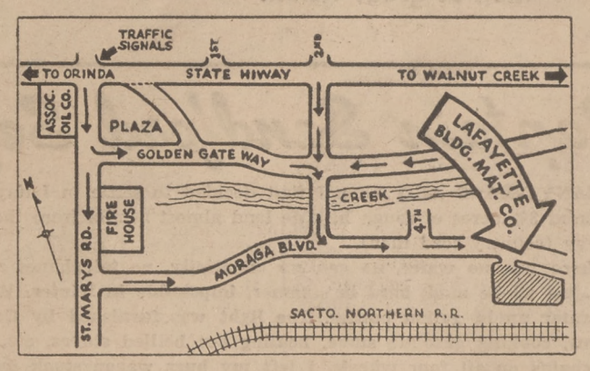

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Captain Sandford Sez:

MANY YEARS AGO when I first decided to settle in Lafayette, I purchased 3½ acres of rough hillside land almost a mile from the main highway (country road then).

There was no water, no gas, no electricity, no telephones and no road—just adobe mud, hard in summer, impossible in winter. We carried water up in gallon bottles. The light was furnished by Coleman lanterns, cooking gasoline stove, heating pot bellied stoves, etc. Often with chains on all four wheels, I left my buzz wagon stuck fast and plugged home "on the hoof." It was primitive but, oh, how peaceful. Just peace, perfect peace. Except for an occasional spooning couple, also "stuck in the mud," no one except our own personal friends ever came near us.

How civilization or whatever you care to call it has crept up on us or surrounded us or engulfed us or something. Now it is "pandemonium" we are surrounded by —by people, grunting and groaning of bulldozers, passing heavy trucks, cement mixers, crying babies, yelping dogs, droning planes overhead, nitwits in hot rods dashing madly at us as they round blind curves at high speed. We have even had salesmen yelling at us through loudspeakers from the skies and also jolly old gophers coming at us from below. No longer peace—at least, certainly not perfect peace.

IN THESE DAYS OF FIRES, don't rush to the fire and park. If you must see it, park at a distance and give our firemen a chance to properly perform their difficult and often dangerous work, or, better still, off with your jacket and go to work helping them.

Quotation from editorial in the San Francisco Chronicle Editorial Column June 27: "Russia won't stop until she runs into a stone wall. The time to start building that wall is now, and in our considered judgment, the place to start building is in the United Nations."

To this I say, nuts, too little and too late. No wall would have been necessary if Washington had told General Lucius Clay to say, "Stand aside, Russky," before the beginning of the Berlin air lift. Then we had powerful veteran allies at our side. Now we have disbanded most of our forces and we stand alone against a possible hostile world.

Radio Contest Gifts of Animals To Winners Considered Inhumane

By LYN McKEE

ON A RECENT RADIO quiz program, the master of ceremonies informed a contestant that he would win a lovable cocker spaniel puppy, if he could correctly answer the question. The contestant said that he wouldn't know what to do with a dog, but he would try for it, anyhow. A prize was something for nothing, no matter what it was. He missed the question. I heaved a sigh of relief, turned to another station, and wished that a string of tin cans could be hung permanently around the neck of the person who first thought up that advertising trick.

Eventually some one will win that puppy, just as many more are being won in various contests and quiz programs. It is becoming the rage. A senseless, cruel rage. True, some of these puppies will find good homes. It is also true that many of them will end up in the care of the ASPCA, or will be passed on as "gifts" from owner to owner, to become confused and unhappy little wayfarers, trying to please and not knowing how.

It is good to note that the list of highly desirable prizes offered by merchants in the current Lafayette Chamber of Commerce Treasure Hunt does not include a single "lovable little puppy." The Lafayette Pet Shop is donating a 50 pound sack of dog food. Fine! Any dog owner will be pleased with that. And should it go to a dogless individual, he can do what he pleases with it, and no harm done. Daughter Becky finds it to be an appetizing in-between meal snack, when left within her reach, and she hasn't barked yet.

HERE'S A TIP for those of you who are having trouble keeping field mice out of your kennels. Try baiting mouse traps with gum drops, instead of cheese. Those who have tried this method report amazing success. Even the craftiest mouse finds it impossible to steal a nibble and avoid the snap of the trap. His teeth become stuck in the candy, and that's that.

SUNDAY, JUNE 4, turned out to be a bring-home-the-bacon day for those in this vicinity who entered their dogs in the San Francisco Dog Training Club's Obedience Trial. It was their seventh annual American Kennel Club licensed trial. A tracking contest was held on June 3 in connection with the trial, but no entries succeeded in passing the test.

One of the judges was Blanche Saunders of New York, who introduced and popularized obedience training in the United States, and who is the best known personality in this sport throughout the country. Last month the dog training class which has been meeeting weekly at the Buena Vista School in Walnut Creek observed a movie on training techniques as demonstrated by Miss Saunders and narrated by Lowell Thomas.

Al Wahl, of Lafayette, judged the Novice A class, wading through a list of 48 entries. An airedale owned by George Menge of Canyon earned a passing score of 188 in this class. Farm advisor Joe Borden showed his sheltie, which scored 189.

Puttencove Solitaire, a poodle owned by Stanley Cook of Walnut Creek, rated 188 in the Novice B class and earned the degree of C.D.

Banche Saunders judged the Open Classes. Mrs. S. J. Robinson, a member of the Mt. Diablo Dog Training Club, Inc., placed second in the Open A and first in the Open B with her standard schnauzer. Dryden Beers, also a member of the Mt. Diablo Club, placed second in Open A with his English cocker.

BLANCHE SAUNDERS' book on dog training, a carefully written and well illustrated reference, filled with applicable hints, is now available at the Lafayette library.

We Want a Good Junior College, But...

AN EDITORIAL

The new Contra Costa Junior College District is being criticized for several reasons.

No. 1 complaint is the high salaries of the administrative staff. (For example, the superintendent will receive $15,000 per year; curriculum director, $11,000; each campus director, $9,500; down to two librarians, $4,500 and $3,600.) Administrative salaries alone will total over $100,000.

There is no question that the men selected are outstanding in their fields. The staff undoubtedly will be among the best in the state.

This newspaper believes it is essential that our junior college be developed into a sound, efficient and effective school.

This can only be accomplished by capable men with experience.

To bring such men from other schools into a new organization with its many problems, the district has to offer good salaries.

Organizing a new school of higher education is a tremendous task. In our opinion the most important step is to gather a strong staff of administrators. This the J.C. board of trustees has done.

We cannot, however, go along 100 per cent with the board. It does appear that the salary schedules for certain posts are too high. We are not convinced that such an extensive staff is required at present. Some of the teaching staff could be called on for certain administrative duties, as is done in other schools.

The district looks like it is trying to do everything absolutely perfect from the start. This we believe may be a mistake.

Yes, we want and need a good school.

But we do not have to go "first class" on everything. Let's get the school going and then add the fine points.

It is vital that the district keep in mind the need for the public's good will and cooperation. And today taxes and expenditures of our governmental agencies are uppermost in the people's thoughts. Within the not too distant future—perhaps a couple of years—the district probably will ask the voters to approve a bond issue for buildings and land.

This, then, calls for sound judgment—perhaps even leaning over backwards a little during the first years of organization.

In other words, strike a happy medium—not too much, not too little.

The SUN cannot understand criticism aimed at the district for gathering an administrative staff BEFORE the school has many students, teachers or classrooms. This seems to be the proper procedure. Certainly, the district should not build schoolrooms, obtain teachers and students and THEN hire a staff to lead the way.

The district is to be commended on its stated policy of developing "a strong educational program before starting an extensive building program."

Yes, we need good education before we need elaborate school plants.

In conclusion, we want to point out that the SUN actively supported the formation of the junior college district when it was before the voters. This was done despite the heavy majority in this community who opposed it.

We thus believe we are entitled to be severely critical of our new junior college. No, not only entitled to—but it is our responsibility.

Truman to Open Scout Jamboree

President Truman will go to Valley Forge, Pa., on June 30 to open the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America, according to word from the White House received by Amory Houghton, president of the organization, and announced by Dr. Arthur A. Schuck, chief Scout executive.

The Berkeley-Contra Costa Council with headquarters at 2068 Allston Way, Berkeley, will be represented at the National Jamboree by 49 Scouts and leaders.

More than 47,000 Boy Scouts and leaders from all parts of the nation and its territories, including about 570 from 15 other nations, will make the encampment the largest gathering of youth in the Western Hemisphere. The Jamboree will close on July 6.

President Truman, who is honorary president of the Boy Scouts of America, will drive past most of the 35 sectional camps which will occupy about 625 of the 2,033 acres of Valley Forge Park, owned and maintained by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

A 3-cent commemorative postage stamp "in honor of the Boy Scouts of America," authorized by Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson, will be placed on first day sale at Valley Forge, Pa., the day of President Truman's visit.

The opening ceremony Friday evening, June 30, will include pageantry telling the story of Valley Forge with the ragged Continental Army of about 10,000 men under George Washington who camped there from Dec. 19, 1777, to June 19, 1778. The ceremony will close with Scouts carrying torches across the grounds to light their 35 sectional campfires.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir:

Cap Sandford, who is writing a weekly column, largely of self-praise, in the SUN, now is worrying lest automobile drivers forget that under the law dogs, goats, horses, etc., have "superior rights" over autos on the highways. You see, the Cap owns a hossy but he seems to forget that it is the drivers of motor vehicles who, with the gasoline tax, pay for, build and maintain the highways.

We suggest that the dilettante horseman—one who uses his nag merely for amusement—install his animal in a trailer, put the borrowed saddle on the beast, don a bi ghat, mount the steed, assume the appearance of Hopalong Cassidy and have a neighbor haul him over Moraga Boulevard. Then he can give an imitation of a real horseman and strut on horseback to his heart's content.

EVERTON JONES.

Dear Sir:

Arrived in Washington, D. C., Wednesday, June 21. Spent two and one-half hours in the Smithsonian Institute's National Air Museum, established in August, 1946, by the 79th Congress.

The bulletin, "National Aircraft Collection, 1949," published by the institution, makes these statements which will interest SUN readers:

Under heading—"Pioneers of the Airplane"—

"John Joseph Montgomery of Santa Clara, California, probably the first American to be supported on wings (but without power), developed a series of gliders, 1883-1911, the most spectacular performances being those of 1905, when his fourth glider, piloted by Daniel Maloney, was, on numerous occasions, released several thousand feet high from a hot-air balloon and piloted to earth under constant control. Montgomery's 1883 glider was destroyed by the earthquake and fire of 1906 but recently the Museum has acquired the remaining parts of his gliders of 1905 and 1911 and these, together with models and photographs, serve to illustrate his materials and methods."

The May 26 edition of the SUN gave an account of John J. Montgomery's life and the recent dedication of the Montgomery Airport in San Diego, California.

The brother of John J. Montgomery—James P .Montgomery—lives in Canyon. Zachary Montgomery of Orinda is a nephew of the late pioneer airman.

Sincerely yours,
YOLANA BERGAMINI

J.C. Tentative Budget–$1,413,250; Trustees Set Public Hearing Aug. 1st

The Board of Trustees of the Contra Costa Junior College District approved a tentative budget totaling $1,413,250 for the school year 1950-51 at a meeting Monday night in Martinez. The budget will require a maximum junior college tax rate of 35 cents per $100 assessed valuation to support.

Superintendent Drummond J. McCunn said: "The regular budget will not be adopted until the first week in August, after we have had the opportunity to work with members of the community."

The trustees set Tuesday, August 1, 8 p. m., as the date of the public hearing for the final approval of the budget. The hearing will be held in the Hall of Records, Martinez.

LOCAL TAXES

McCunn stressed the fact that most of the district's support for the next year must come from local taxes. He indicated that state funds would not be available in any sizeable amount until the following year.

The budget compares favorably with other school district budgets in the state, according to McCunn. Seventy-one per cent of the operating budget will be used for instructional purposes. George Gordon, Martinez, president of the board, stated "In considering this budget, it must be remembered that we will be opening a second campus next year, and that our enrollment will be more than doubled."

Last year's tax rate was .276 cents.

The 1950-51 tentative budget allocates $55,410 for administration, $749,140 for instruction, $93,300 for operation, $50,000 for maintenance and $351,500 for capital outlay.

The administration allocation represents 5.3 per cent of the total budget.

LEASE WITH CITY

The board also approved a one-year lease agreement between the City of Martinez and the Junior College District, giving the college the use of the old Martinez Grammar School building. The agreement is effective July 1. The trustees will pay a cash rental of $250 a month for use of the buildings which will temporarily house the East Campus of the college. The East Campus will start classes on September 11 with an estimated 500 students, according to McCunn.

The superintendent was authorized to negotiate with the Federal Security Agency for the purchase of surplus buildings at the Atomic Energy Commission, Berkeley, and at the Stockton Sub-Depot of the Benecia Arsenal, Stockton. The buildings will be used at both the East and the West Campus to provide additional classroom space for the educational program.

Largest Fish Planting Mission in Nation's History Begun in State

The California Division of Fish and Game recently took off on the nation's most ambitiuos aerial fish planting mission.

In the next two months, the state agency's twin-engined airplane will drop a total of 1,639,000 rainbow and brook trout in 373 mountain lakes.

Flying a tough 40-day schedule over some of the trickiest terrain in the West, Warden-Pilots Al Reese and Carroll Paist will release the fingerlings in waters ranging from Siskiyou to Tulare and Inyo counties. The plane is capable of carrying up to 25,000 fish each trip.

DELAY

Although the Bureau of Fish conservation began its aerial planting experiments in 1946, full-scale operations were delayed until special equipment and flying procedures were developed for the difficult high Sierra country. Several other states are also using aricraft in their fish planting programs.

Warden-Pilot Reese asserts the airplane is here to stay, but will supplement—not replace—the continuing horse, truck, and human transport of trout.

TESTS

Tests made recently prove that fish can be safely dropped from elevations up to 800 feet. Other findings reveal that the cost of planting comparable areas by man or horse-back is considerably higher.

Before the aerial planting program ends August 18, the crew will have stocked 165 lakes in the Mount Shasta area; five in the Fall River Mills area; 33 lakes in the Almanor-Feather River area; 64 lakes in the Donner Summit area; 23 lakes in the Yosemite-central Sierra area; 24 lakes in the western lower Sierra area; and 83 lakes in the eastern Sierra area.

Mt. Diablo H.S. Plans Discussed By Parents' Club

Discussion of possible projects to be proposed for the approval of the Mt. Diablo Union High School Parents' Club covered much of the time taken at a recent executive board meeting held in John Cleary's office at the high school.

Each year some project for student welfare is carried through by this organization. Current thoughts are towards the construction of a refreshment stand on or near the football field.

After a resume of past activities of the Parents' Club, standing committee chairmen were asken to voice their ideas for future meetings, a membership campaign and money raising possibilities.

Emphasis at the meeting was placed upon the fact that all parents of Mt. Diablo Union High School students are welcome at Parents' Club meetings.

In attendance were President Leon Folsom, John Cleary, A. A. Persyn, Mrs. Agnes Owen, Otto W. Cleman, Mrs. Lucille Hieb, Dr. Carl Mills, Herbert Shelley and the Mesdames Harmon Welsh, George C. Johnson, Albert Annis and L. T. Folsom.

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Road Bond Issue Urged for County

Stressing the seriousness of the situation, the Special Planning Committee of the Board of Supervisors recommended to the board recently that a $5,000,000 bond issue is necessary for Contra Costa County road improvements.

"We feel that a bond issue of $5,000,000 is necessary to do a good job for the county," James D. Ryan, committee chairman, told the supervisors.

The committee also cited the "very acute" need for new county buildmittee's 1948 report, and that, pendbuilding plan not be included in a bond issue program for another purpose.

HOSPITAL CONDITIONS

Regarding hospital conditions, Ryan stated that his committee found they "have quite materially changed" from the time of the committee's 194 8report, and that, pending further study, the group hesitated to make any definite recommendations. Formation of the West Contra Costa Hospital District last November has been the basic factor in this changed situation.

The committee stated that it would be unable to handle a campaign for a bond issue, and suggested that "any bond program should be put in the hands of a person or persons competent to organize, finance and carry the issue to the polls."

"The committee feels that the need to meet county road requirements is more grave than when we made our report in 1948," the report declared. "Furthermore, we feel that an engineers' plan should be presented to the people showing where improvements will be made, and the necessity for those improvements, and underlining the economy of acquiring our roads through a bond issue."

In November, 1948, two bond issues recommended by the committee, totalnig $6,000,000—one for highway bonds and the other for a building program—were defeated at the polls.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

On the committee with Ryan, who is a Martinez banker, are C. E. Fleager and Warren Harrold, both of Orinda; Frank A. Marshall, Walnut Creek; Hugh Caudel and Dr. L. H. Fraser, both of Richmond; Sam Herrod, Rodeo; W. B. Kelley, Pittsburg, and Charles B. Weeks, Brentwood.

Dr. George Degnan, county medical director, has been authorized by the supervisors to apply to the Federal government for $1,000,000 in supporting funds for construction of a new $1,750,000 county hospital.

Highway needs of the county were also the subject of a public hearing last week in the Board of Supervisors chambers at Martinez, called by the highway committee of the Contra Costa County Development Association. The meeting was a continuation of an all-day highway forum at Martinez two months ago.

Don't let death take your holiday

Glen Taylor Camp Now Open

Under direction of Louis Nash, who was in charge of last year's session, the Glen Taylor School summer camp program opened Monday, to run through August 4.

With a few openings left both for day-basis participants and for boarding campers, the program at the camp, which has a maximum capacity of around 60, includes swimming at the camp pool, art, hobbies and crafts, farm school and swimming instruction by a Red Cross instructor.

Children's art classes are conducted by John Horns, formerly a supervisor in the County Department of Education and at present the art supervisor at San Leandro schools and an instructor in the School of Education at the University of California.

A parents' non-profit corporation, the school, for children from the nursery through eighth grade, has become well-known under Georgia Cooper, its director of education. It is located two miles north of Walnut Creek, on the Concord Highway. Further information may be obtained by phoning the school, Walnut Creek 3502.

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Patriotism Is Orinda Church Topic on Sunday

"Patriotism in an A-Bomb World" and the meaning of July Fourth now are subjects to be discussed at the 11 a. m. service at Lafayette Community Methodist Church on Moraga Road, near the Fire House.

Music will be by the Community Choir. Graded Church School will be conducted at 9:45 a. m. Sunday, and Youth Fellowship will be at 6:30 p. m.

Regular meeting of the Official Board will be held Monday, 8 p. m. Rev. Harry E. Shaner is pastor, and Bishop George A. Miller is pastor emeritus.

Moraga Group Votes to Join Orinda Fire Area

The Moraga del Rey Association at a recent meeting passed a resolution to file a petition to join the Orinda Fire District.

Decision to take this action at this time was encouraged by the talk of J. Stevens, executive secretary of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, who was guest speaker of the evening. His talk was on fire prevention and fire protection.

The meeting was held at the home of the association president, Harold Cannon.

JC Proposed Site Action Delayed

The single site for the proposed Junior College East Campus hit a snag in the planning commission recently. Commissioners went to see other sites and postponed action for two weeks.

The site offered the Board of Trustees is a 100-acre section of land lying west of Grayson Creek and south of the Contra Costa Golf Club. It had been selected by the district's site expert, Howard Gilkey of Oakland.

Commissioner John L. Stoffel, Orinda banker, said the development of the proposed campus would be mighty costly because of the terrain.

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Whalen Returning From Navy Cruise

Robert Whalen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Whalen of Glenside, will return Sunday after a two-week cruise to Alaska aboard a destroyer-escort.

Young Whalen is a member of the Naval Reserve, having attended the Maritime Academy for three years following his graduation from Acalanes High School in 1944. When not busy with his reserve duties, he is in business with his father at the Montague Manufacturing Company.

Fred S. Evans Qualifies as CPA

Fred S. Evans, 11 Meadow Park Court, Orinda, recently joined the ranks of the Certified Public Accountants.

The Caliofrnia Society of the CPA announced that he had qualified to practice in the state.

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Grovers 'Almost Lost Their Slipper'

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Grover of Brown Avenue almost lost their "Golden Slipper" for good, this past weekend.

Slipper, a blonde cocker spaniel, disappeared Friday and the Grovers conducted a thorough search, climaxed on Monday morning by a phone call to the pound in Martinez.

Slipper was there! Although her collar bore no license place, it did carry the owner's name, address and phone number, Grover reported.

Grover says he was told he was "just in time to save his dog," that the pound officials had tried to contact him by phone but had received no answer. Grover insists that someone was at home the entire weekend, and is still puzzled at Slipper's traveling their mile-long private road and on to the highway one-and-a-quarter miles away where the dog was alleged to have been picked up.

"We've had her six years, and she's never left the grounds before," Grover reported.

The Grovers said, "We feel fortunate in getting our pet back, but it still rankles when we consider how close we came to losing her."

Called by the SUN, a pound attendant said, "If a dog is brought in with a license, there's nothing in the world we won't do to return it to its owners, even to taking the animal to them if they work and are unable to get to the pound.

"Even if a stray comes in that is not licensed, we make every effort to return it to its owner if they can describe the lost animal to our satisfaction."

It was pointed out that all dogs must be licensed, even if they are kept in the house all the time.

Garden Club Meets

John Paul Edwards, prominent amateur rose grower from Oakland, talked on "Growing Beautiful Roses" before the Mt. Diablo Men's Garden Club Monday night at the club's regular monthly meeting in Martinez.

Plans were made for the club's annual picnic at Marsh Creek July 31. Stewart Wade is president of the club, one of the largest garden clubs in the nation, with a membership of 250.

Vacation at Santa Cruz

After completing their freshman year at San Jose State College, Nancy Brooks of Lafayette and Gail Bargones of Orinda have gone to Big Basin Lodge in the Santa Cruz mountains for a summer vacation, combining work with play.

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CONTRA COSTA SHOPPING NEWS

Meakins Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Meakin last weekend entertained Mrs. Eva Chamber and daughter Ruth of Los Gatos. Mrs. Chambers' son is Bob Chambers, the famous runner of the south, and her brother is Prof. Lester Reukemar, well-known electrical engineer at the University of California.

LAIRDS VACATION

The Ernest Lairds, Rheem Boulevard, have been spending their vacation at Clear Lake Highlands where son Jimmy has a new runabout motor boat. They plan to return home after the fourth.

Nancy Mott in S.F.

Nancy Mott is having her first experience this week visiting alone with her friends in San Francisco, the Morton Holms and the Wayne Bodes.

SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. George Matey was hostess at a surprise birthday luncheon June 14 honoring her mother, Mrs. C. McCulley, who has been visiting the Mateys from the east. Present were Mesdames John Parker, William Courtright, Robert Elder, Jack Wright and Kenneth Geide.

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RESOLUTION NO. 606

RESOLUTION PROPOSING TO AMEND RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 583 AS TO THE HEREIN DESCRIBED PARTICULARS FIXING THE TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON THE PROPOSAL TO AMEND SAID RESOLUTION AND DIRECTING THE CLERK TO GIVE NOTICE OF SAID HEARING.

WHEREAS, Resolution of Intention No. 583 for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Local Improvement District No. 13 did provide as stated in that statement of "present provisions" which is by reference made a part hereof as Exhibit I and the District Board proposes to change the provisions of said Resolution of Intention;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that it is hereby proposed to amend said Resolution of Intention by providing that the said Resolution be amended to read as follows:

As stated in "revised provisions" which is by reference made a part hereof as Exhibit 2.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the 13th day of July, 1950, at 8:00 o'clock p. m., is hereby fixed as the day and hour and the meeting place of the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District located at 1822 Mount Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek, as the place when and where any and all persons having any objections to the aforesaid proposal to amend said Resolution of Intention may appear before said District Board and show cause why said proposed amendment should not be adopted.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that this District Board hereby directs the Clerk to give notice of the time and place of the aforesaid hearing by publishing the same once in the ORINDA SUN; said publication shall be made at least ten (10) days prior to the date herein fixed for the hearing on the proposal to amend said Resolution of Intention.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 22nd day of June, 1950, by the following vote:

AYES: Members Cornwall, Smitten, Toland and Johnson.

NOES: Members None.

ABSENT: Members Wadsworth.

ELLIOTT JOHNSON
Acting President of the District Board of Central Contra Costa Sanitary District of Contra Costa County, State of California.

COUNTERSIGNED:
H. M. SMITTEN,
Secretary of the District Board of Central Contra Costa Sanitary District of Contra Costa County, State of California.

PRESENT PROVISIONS
EXHIBIT I

A. DESCRIPTIONS OF AREAS IN WHICH WORK IS TO BE DONE:

1. Easement in Lot 4 (Parcel 12) .....; thence from said point of beginning, south 70° 26' 50" west 85.39 feet; thence south 78° 53' west, 25.33 feet to MH 20 to be located at a point on a line which line is described within a 13 foot right of way in Parcel One of the deed recorded May 31, 1949, Serial No. 19081, Volume 1393 of Official Records, page 424 in the office of said Recorder, which last mentioned point is distant along said line north 22° 17' 50" west, 13.36 feet and along the arc of a curve to the left with a radius of 60 feet, a distance of 25.43 feet from the point of beginning of said line. Excepting therefrom that portion of said 5 foot strip lying within said 13 foot right-of-way.
2. Easement, in portion of Rancho El Sobrante (Parcel 15), being a strip of land 5 feet wide the center line of which is described as follows: Beginning on the center line of Miner Road distant thereon 64.58 feet along the arc of a curve to the left, radius of 260.0 feet, and north 20° 04' west, 85.17 feet from the center line of Camino Lenada; thence, from said point of beginning, south 80° 43' 30" west, 139.0 feet; thence north 72° 27' 30" west, 61.40 feet; thence north 82° 38' 30" west, 96.00 feet; thence south 79° 24' 30" west, 65.54 feet; thence south 35° 58' 30" west, 57.95 feet; thence south 69° 03' 30" west, 244.78 feet; thence north 54° 01' west, 111.90 feet; thence north 69° 56' 30" west, 100.06 feet; thence north 34° 30' west, 78.12 feet; thence north 48° 16' west, 267.63 feet; thence north 33° 11' west, 113.89 feet; thence north 66° 38' 30" west, 87.64 feet; thence north 61° 33' 30" west....."

B. SPECIFICATIONS (Approximate quantities)

Item No.	Approximate Quantity	Items with Unit Price Written in Words	Unit Price in Figures
1	7,200 lin. ft.	6" dia. vitrified clay pipe sewer, in place, per lin. ft. @	$.....
2	2,600 lin. ft.	10" dia. vitrified clay pipe sewer, in place, per lin. ft. @	$.....
3	160 lin. ft.	15" dia. vitrified clay pipe sewer, in place, per lin. ft. @	$.....
4	350 lin. ft.	18" dia. vitrified clay pipe sewer, in place, per lin. ft. @	$.....
5	90 lin. ft.	10" dia. cast iron, cement lined pipe sewer, in place, per lin. ft. @	$.....
6	26 each	48" I. D. manholes, Type "A" in place each @	$.....
7	2 each	48" I. D. manholes, Type "B" in place each @	$.....
8	16 each	Flushing inlets, including cast iron frame and cover, in place, each @	$.....
9	3 cu. yd.	4 sack concrete for connection supports ,including excavation, in place, per cu. yd. @	$.....
10	2 each	6" x 6" vitrified clay wye branches, in place, each @	$.....

REVISED PROVISIONS
EXHIBIT 2

A. DESCRIPTIONS OF AREAS IN WHICH WORK IS TO BE DONE

1. Easement in Lot 4 (parcel 12) .....; thence from said point of beginning south 70° 26' 50" west 49.50 feet; thence south 38° 09' 10" west 63.68 feet to MH 20 to be located at a point on a line, which line is described within a 13 foot right-of-way in Parcel One of the deed recorded May 31, 1949, Serial No. 19081, volume 1393 of Official Records, page 424 in the office of said Recorder. Excepting therefrom that portion of said 5-foot strip lying within said 13 foot right-of-way.
2. Easement in portion of Rancho El Sobrante being a strip of land 10 feet in width lying 5.0 feet on each side of the following described center line: Beginning on the center line of Miner Road distant southerly thereon 318.91 feet along its center line from the center line of Camino Lenada; thence from said point of beginning north 36° 01' 30" west 192.95 feet; thence north 49° 05' west, 374.30 feet; thence north 54° 00' west, 257.17 feet; thence north 59° 09' 45" west, 87.69 feet; thence north 69° 29' 15" west, 87.69 feet; thence north 79° 48' 45" west, 87.69 feet; thence north 84° 58' 30" west, 192.24 feet; thence north 47° 31' 45" west, 193.57 feet; thence north 61° 33' 30" west, 57.60 feet; thence north 27° 02' 30" west, 74.57 feet; thence north 1° 04' 30" east, 73.59 feet; thence north 34° 38' 30" west, 58.93 feet; thence north 66° 43' 30" west, 61.57 feet to the southeast line of that parcel of land described in deed to Guy L. Putnam recorded February 8, 1930 in Volume 220 of Official Records, at page 208, in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, distant thereon north 46° 02' 05" east, 47.93 feet from the most southerly corner of said parcel.

B. SPECIFICATIONS (Approximate quantities) (Engineer's Estimate)

Item No.	Approximate Quantity	Items with Unit Price Written in Words	Unit Price in Figures	Total
1	7,200 lin. ft.	6" VC Pipe Sewer	$ 3.00	$21600.00
2	2,800 lin. ft.	10" VC Pipe Sewer	4.20	11760.00
3	90 lin. ft.	10" Cast Iron Pipe Sewer	7.00	630.00
4	60 lin. ft.	10" ID Cement Lined Steel Pipe Sewer	10.00	600.00
5	1 each	Steel Pipe Trestle Bent	200.00	200.00
6	23 each	48" ID Manholes, Type "A"	$250.00	5750.00
7	16 each	Flushing Inlets	40.00	640.00
8	2 cu. yds.	6 Sack Reinforced concrete	60.00	120.00
9	5 cu. yds.	4 Sack Unreinforced Concrete	24.00	120.00
10	2 each	6" x 6" VC Wye Branches	3.00	6.00
		Construction Cost		$41426.00
		Incidental Expenses:		
		Engineering	$1,200.00	
		Survey and Inspection	3,300.00	
		Rights of Way and Easements..	4,800.00	
		Advertising, Legal, Preparation of Assessment and Other Incidental Costs	2,200.00	11500.00
		TOTAL ESTIMATED COST.....		$52926.00

There shall be added to said specifications that certain drawing entitled Standard Manhole Type "B" of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, copy of which is attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof.

That the plans ,profiles and specifications shall be revised to show the changes herein set forth. Said revised plans, profiles and specifications being on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District located at 1822 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek, and are hereby referred to for all particulars and by reference made a part hereof.

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J.C. Courses Are Announced

Announcement of courses to be available at East Campus of Contra Costa J.C. beginning September 11 was made this week by Director of Curriculum J. Graham Sullivan.

Included in the listing were: Engineering drawing, history and government, political science, office practice, homemaking, secretarial training, economics, art, music, physical education, college math, chemistry, physics, personality development, architectural drafting, merchandising and accounting.

The physical education program for both men and women is to be stressed at the Martinez campus, Sullivan said, football will be omitted from the athletic plans during the first year, but basketball, track and swimming will be encouraged.

Estimated enrollment of 500 students is expected with opening of the East Campus.

MRS. JOHNSON HOSTESS

Mrs. Carl Eugene Johnson was hostess to the San Ramon Valley Republican Women's Club Tuesday. The meeting was the last scheduled until fall, and members and guests enjoyed a social as well as informative morning.

Mary Newbury Wed in Walnut Cr.

Gowned in imported white organdy, with bodice, short train and gauntlets fashioned of embroidered organdy, Mary Patricia Newbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newbury, became the bride of Edmund William Schacht, Jr., at a wedding service performed in the gardens of the Reginald Biggs in Walnut Creek last Saturday afternoon.

The bridal ensemble was completed with a full length veil of Brussels lace, a family heirloom, and she carried a bouquet of bouvardia and stephanotis.

Rosanne and Nancy Newbury attended their sister as honor maids, with Gertrude O'Donnell of Minneapolis; Mrs. Howard Burk (Louise Very); Prentice Lar Rieu and Mrs. Richard Ingraham (Sally Bronson), as bridesmaids and Sharon Jones attending her aunt as flower girl.

Lee Schacht was best man for his brother, and ushers were the bride's cousin, William Leach, Lowell Linman of Minneapolis, Harry Jacobson, Robert Naleid and Melvin Benstead of Racine.

The newlyweds will spend their honeymoon at Lake Louise.

LEGAL NOTICE

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Orinda Union School District of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, that in accordance with law, an election will be held on the 25th day of July, 1950, in said District, between the hours of 7 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M., during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open, at which election there will be submitted the question of issuing and selling bonds of said District to the amount of $400,000.00 Dollars, for the purpose of raising money for the following purposes:

(a) The purchasing of school lots.
(b) The building or purchasing of school buildings.
(c) The making of alterations or additions to the school building or buildings other than such as may be necessary for current maintenance, operation, or repairs.
(d) The repairing, restoring or rebuilding of any school building damaged, injured, or destroyed by fire or other public calamity.
(e) The supplying of school buildings with furniture or necessary apparatus of a permanent nature.
(f) The permanent improvement of the school grounds.

All of the foregoing purposes enumerated herein are hereby united and shall be voted upon as one single proposition.

Said bonds proposed to be issued and sold shall be of the denominations hereinafter specified, and shall bear interest at a rate of not exceeding five per cent per annum, payable annually for the first year the bonds have to run, and semi-annually thereafter, and shall be numbered from 1 to 400, consecutively, payable as follows, to wit:

Bonds Numbered (Inclusive)	Denomination	To Run
1 - 20	$1,000.00	1 year
21 - 40	$1,000.00	2 years
41 - 60	$1,000.00	3 years
61 - 80	$1,000.00	4 years
81 - 100	$1,000.00	5 years
101 - 120	$1,000.00	6 years
121 - 140	$1,000.00	7 years
141 - 160	$1,000.00	8 years
161 - 180	$1,000.00	9 years
181 - 200	$1,000.00	10 years
201 - 220	$1,000.00	11 years
221 - 240	$1,000.00	12 years
241 - 260	$1,000.00	13 years
261 - 280	$1,000.00	14 years
281 - 300	$1,000.00	15 years
301 - 320	$1,000.00	16 years
321 - 340	$1,000.00	17 years
341 - 360	$1,000.00	18 years
361 - 380	$1,000.00	19 years
381 - 400	$1,000.00	20 years

For the purpose of holding said election, the School District shall be and it is hereby consolidated into One (1) Bond Election Precinct, numbered 1, as hereinafter described; and the persons hereinafter named being competent and qualified electors of said School District, and of their Bond Election Precinct are hereby appointed officers of election, as hereinafter designated, to serve in their Bond Election Precinct, as hereinafter set forth; and said Officers of Election shall conduct said election and make returns thereof pursuant to law.

The voting precinct, polling place and election officers, duly designated and appointed are as follows:

BOND ELECTION PRECINCT No. ONE

shall include all that area embraced in Orinda Union School District.

POLLING PLACE therein shall be at Orinda Elementary School. Officers of Election for said Bond Election Precinct:

MRS. HELEN VUREK, Inspector
MRS. PAT FARRAR, Judge
MRS. LIBBY BADGLEY, Judge

Each qualified elector of said Orinda Union School District shall be entitled to vote only in the School District Bond Election Precinct of which he is a resident.

The governing board of the school district shall meet on the seventh day after the election at its usual meeting place at 7:30 o'clock P. M. and publicly canvass the returns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this fifth day of June, 1950.

JOAN M. ERIKSON
SEAVER A. BALLARD
RITCHIE C. SMITH
EDGAR B. STEWART
WILLIAM M. FLEAGER
Members of the Governing Board of Orinda Union School District, of Contra Costa County, California.

Published in Orinda Sun, June 23, 30 and July 7, 1950.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION FOR A LAND USE PERMIT BY THE CONTRA COSTA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION UNDER PROVISIONS OF ORDINANCE NO. 382

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Contra Costa County Planning Commission will give consideration to the application of C. G. Kolbeck for a use permit.

Said application is to modify provisions of Section 4 Subdivision F Subsection 6 of the provisions of Ordinance 382 as hereafter set forth, namely: to have a 15 foot set back.

Property is located on the following maps which appear as Subsections 24 of Section 3 of Ordinance 382.

Brief description of property: Lot No. 81, Unit No. 1, Sleepy Hollow Subdivision on Van Tassel Lane, Upper Orinda.

The time and place of said hearing will be in Room 210 Hall of Records, Martinez, California July 11, 1950, 7:30 p.m.

RENE NARBERES,
Secretary Contra Costa County Planning Commission

Publish in the Orinda Sun once on June 30, 1950.

OVER THE IRIS that blooms in regal splendor at their Acalanes Gardens, J. W. Martin (left) and Ernie Lafrenz shake hands. Once friendly rivals in iris culture, Mr. and Mrs. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Lafrenz have joined forces in their flower-raising, with the result that Acalanes Gardens is now a name associated in hundreds of flower-lovers' minds with the delicate yet lavish beauty of the iris.
—SUN Photo by Geri Fry

Former Competitors Team Up Here To Grow Iris at Acalanes Gardens

By DORIS SAGE

Although the blooming season for iris is over for this year, the owners of Acalanes Gardens are making plans for an even more spectacular display next spring to charm the eyes of the hundreds of visitors who have this spot on their "must see" list. With 150 different varieties included in the Gardens, there were more than 2,000 of the regal blossoms in all their delicate pastels to form an unforgettable blanket of color this year.

A partnership and friendship that grew out of stiff competition in iris culture culminated in the merger of interests which is now well-known as Acalanes Gardens, with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Lafrenz and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin as owners.

The Lafrenz' purchased the five-and-a-half-acre plot where the Gardens are located in 1941, built their home in 1948 and became actual residents of Lafayette in 1949.

WAS A HOBBY

Formerly of Berkeley, they had owned the Home Appliance Service Company there for 23 years. Raising iris was a hobby with the couple, with their entries in the amateur section of each California Spring Garden Show winning awards regularly to spur them on.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin were owners of the famous iris gardens on Mountain Boulevard, where they had developed their hobby into a commercial venture of considerable magnitude.

Then, with the purchase of their location in Montclair by the joint highway district, the couple joined forces with the Lafrenz', with whom, as amateurs and professionals, they had competed for many years in producing prize iris varieties.

AN ACRE OF IRIS

An acre of the present site is developed solely to the regal iris, with the Gardens on Acalanes Avenue and Nogales Road, just back of Acalanes High School, truly a garden spot when the spring blooming season is at its height.

Two first prizes were won by the joint enterprise with entries in the California Spring Garden Show this year, one for the best bed of iris and one for the best individual stalk.

Starting within the next month or six weeks, there will be special activity at Acalanes Gardens as the bulbs are dug and separated in preparation for the fall planting. The Lafrenz-Martin combine will be kept busy filling the orders for choice varieties from the Gardens, as greenthumbers begin their plans for next year's iris beds and order the bulbs in readiness.

In time, the owners anticipate having other specialities in Acalanes Gardens, but, for now, all their time and attention is devoted to the iris. At present the name "Acalanes Gardens" is synonymous with iris, that beauty of the flower world.

2 Men Charged With Burglary; Appear in Court

Having admitted burglary of a safe containing $120 in cash and about $500 worth of checks from the Ginty Supply Company on Mt. Diablo Boulevard, opposite Sun Valley, two 20-year-old men, both employees at Oak Knoll Hospital, went before Justice of the Peace Clifford Thomson in Walnut Creek yesterday for preliminary hearing.

The two men, who according to Inspector Norman Wilson, made their admission to Deputy Sheriff William Faulkner and two Oakland police officers, are Robert Lee Engelbricht and James M. Muscatell.

Wilson said the men, arrested Tuesday, broke into a side window of the supply company the week before last, took a small safe and hauled it away in a car.

When first questioned by Oakland police officers, they did not say anything about the safe burglary. Police had found a pick and sledgehammer in their car.

Later the opened safe was found in the hills of Oakland, near Sequoia Park, with the money and checks missing. The suspects then admitted the burglary, Wilson said, and said they had burned the checks.

Richard Chapman Has Job in San Francisco

Richard Chapman, who received his B.A. degree fom Stanford recently, is working in San Francisco this summer, enjoying a change from "digging," and, incidentally, acquiring some change to rattle in the pocket of his jeans, as well as some folding money reserved for the fall when he reenters Stanford to begin a two-year course in economics and business administration.

Robert McClaren Of Orinda Weds Alberta Riggio

Robert Sydney McClaren of Orinda claimed Alberta Frances Riggio as his bride at a recent marriage service at St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Albany.

Marquisette and Chantilly lace were combined in the bride's gown, a crown of lace and seed pearls holding her short veil in place. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis as she was escorted to the altar by her father, Joseph Riggio of Albany.

Bridal attendants were: Mrs. Anne Liotta, matron of honor; Rosalie Guarneri, junior bridesmaid; and the other bridesmaids were Marie Belice, Mrs. Catherine McClaren and Beverly Hinton. John B. McClaren was best man and Charles Wilder, Anthony P. Riggio, Norman Montgomery and Anthony J. Riggio ushered the guests to their places.

Mrs. Francis E. McClaren of Miner Road wore a frock of grey and pink for her son's wedding, the bride's mother choosing rose silk for the occasion.

A graduate of Berkeley High School, the bride has sung in Bay Area concerts and light opera. The groom attended New Mexico Military Institute, later entering U.C. where he became a Kappa Alpha.

The newlyweds chose New Mexico for their honeymoon trip.

Nancy Lueck's Engagement Told

Engagement of Nancy Lueck of Orinda to Roger Dietrich of Chicago was incentive for an open house at the home of the Roger H. Luecks on Brookside Road recently, when news of the betrothal was revealed to fellow Stanford classmates and family friends of the bride-elect.

Nancy, who has just completed her junior year down on the Farm, has been occupied in making plans for her forthcoming marriage, which will be solemnized at the First Congreagtional Church of Berkeley in September.

The bride-to-be left last week for a vacation trip to Chicago. It was while visiting Stanford classmate Sue Page in that city last year that Nancy first met her future husband. Son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Dietrich of River Forest, Ill. the benedict-elect is a graduate of Lake Forest College and is in business in Chicago.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Lueck, Nancy has a sister, Peggy, who is a graduate of Mills College.

In Hawaii for Summer

Mrs. Wallace M. Alexander of Orinda is spending the summer months at her home at Diamond Head, T. H.

Philip Chapman and Jimmy Selby are both working at a Tahoe resort this vacation, acquiring vim, brawn, fun and funds.

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Chapel of the Chimes in Piedmont is probably the best example of fancy work in metal in the area turned out by the El Diablo Forge, located just east of Lafayette on Mt. Diablo boulevard. It is graced by a wrought-iron railing and six-foot worked-iron chandelier made by Carl Jennings, proprietor of the adobe brick three-room plant.

Fancy work in metals is not a very extensive business, Jennings said. That's why he runs the only establishment of its kind in the Bay Area.

DISPLAY ROOM

When you walk into the shop through the low, heavy wood doorway, you walk into the display room of the plant. Around the room are worked trays of copper and brass, some of them made "at home" and some machine-manufactured. "Have to carry the 'manufactured' goods to some extent," Jennings said. "Take this tray, for instance," he added, taking a worked brass tray from the wall. "It sells for $4.50, but in order for me to make this it would have to sell for over $100." There are also lamps, plaques, nameplates, stands and other small furniture.

"And then I don't do any casting work here." He pointed to a cast horse-head post top. "But I carry them for the trade, too."

Most of the business is for pieces like the chandelier mentioned. He has made several in varying sizes, and pieces like fireplace screens and ornaments for outsized fireplaces and other items such as lamps, stands and furniture for which there is no standard manufactured article. These items are made, for the most part, to fit one specific situation, and will not be called for in duplicate.

The center room of the one-man concern is the workshop with its forge, punches, work benches and the like, and the rear room is the warehouse and location where the large pieces are cut down to a size which is easily manageable.

REPAIR WORK

Repair work, too, plays an important part in the day's labor. Tractors and other equipment are brought in for certain repairs that can be made by a blacksmith.

Eventually Jennings hopes to go solely into the more artistic metals, such as copper, brass, etc., and drop the iron work.

He and his wife, Elizabeth, will have been here three years in August. When they moved here they built the three-room workshop with its display patio. Prior to that he had been working in several locations in the Bay Area but on more industrial-type jobs. He also spent several years with aviation plants during the war.

Jennings began his career as a metal worker in his father's forge in San Francisco in 1928. He is a graduate of the California College of Arts and Crafts.

In conclusion he answered, when quizzed: "Even though both my grandfather and father were blacksmiths and shoed horses as part of their work, I never have and don't expect to."

NANCY LUECK
. . . engaged to Roger Dietrich
—Tribune Photo

Mrs. A. Amman Plans Visit to Summer Home

Mrs. A. L. Amman of Orinda is planning to spend some time at her summer home at Kensington Park, Lake County.

Buses, Bonds To Be Discussed By School Board

Consideration of the school bus routes for 1950-51 and discussion of the coming school bond issue election will occupy members of Orinda school board at the meeting scheduled for Monday night, according to Schools Superintendent Joseph Sheaff.

All requests concerning transportation of school children should be in for consideration at that meeting, Sheaff said.

The issues at stake in the proposed bond issue election will also be an important topic of discussion at this session.

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Your Garden

Fuchsias Are Returning to Popularity

By BERT WRIGHT

Fuchsias are coming back into favor again. And after becoming familiar with fuchsias, many gardeners wonder why they were ever forgotten. This is the house plant that was so popular with our grandmothers, when plants were grown in tin cans on kitchen window sills and in the old lime-laden tea kettles.

The fuchsia has practically disappeared from the window garden for long years and it is now more or less a novelty. Not more than one variety is listed in many catalogs; however, there are some catalogs that list four or five varieties.

A NATIVE OF MEXICO, South America and New Zealand, the fuchsia in its native environment grows as a shrub or tree. It is often known as Lady's Eardrops because of the form of the flowers. In the colder sections of the United States its use has been confined (until the introduction of the hardy variety) to a pot plant in winter and as a bedding plant in the summer.

In milder climates, such as is found in California, fuchsias are grown out of doors the year around. When growing out of doors, choose a site on the east or north side of a building, or under a high branched tree, as the tender varieties do not like hot afternoon sun.

The height of the plant varies according to variety. The usual house plant is about 18 inches, but if placed outside during the summer, it will usually grow to a much greater height.

AS HOUSE PLANTS — When growing fuchsias indoors as pot plants, they must have plenty of fresh air and a cool temperature of about 60 degrees. They must get plenty of light, but not be exposed to extremely hot sun. An east exposure is satisfactory. Only a moderate amount of water is required.

Many window gardeners find they have better success with fuchsias as house plants by allowing a rest period during the winter. The soil is allowed to dry gradually and the pot then removed to a dark basement for two or three months. After that period the plant is repotted in a soil having a high humus content. This type of potting soil has good moisture holding capacity, will not be soggy, yet provides good drainage.

A complete plant food should be added to the potting soil to furnish needed nourishment. Mix one tablespoonful of plant food to each gallon of soil. The plant is then brought to the light and allowed to start new growth. Feed plants every four to six weeks after growth starts.

SOME GARDENERS achieve a rest period for the plant by pruning severely when it is brought indoors in the fall, placing the plant in a shaded location and watering moderately. Then, when signs of renewed growth are apparent, the plant is fed regularly. In pruning, don't be afraid to cut back. Remove old stubs and branches. New growth will start quickly.

It is best to develop young plants each year from cuttings, since these have more blooms and require less care. However, old plants may be kept from year to year and if the branches are cut back, they will bloom quite abundantly.

Fuchsias are heavy feeders and should have an application of a complete, balanced plant food at regular intervals.

THE HARDY FUCHSIA (Fuchsia Magellanica) blooms all summer and into the fall, when it is stopped by frost. While it is especially adapted for shady locations, it is said to flower as freely in full sun as in light shade. It will winter outdoors in most areas, if protected with straw or other mulch material. Mulch is necessary in the northern part of the United States.

Gift Shop Opens Sat. On Mt. Diablo Blvd.

Housed in a frontier-type log cabin, a new gift shop, Mary's Haven, will open this Saturday on Mt. Diablo Highway four miles outside of Danville, on the road up the mountain and at the south gate of Mt. Diablo.

Miss Mary Leanora Silva, owner, announces the shop, which will carry a full line of gifts and greeting cards, will be open weekends and holidays, and on special occasions.

Grand opening of the tea room at the shop will take place later, and the date will be announced in the SUN.

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Erwin Mattson On 3-Week Trip In Northwest

Erwin Mattson, popular Acalanes High School coach, accompanied by Bob and Forrest Borghesani, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Borghesani, left last week for a three-week vacation in the Pacific Northwest.

The three travelers will camp out throughout their trip through Oregon and Washington, doing a little fishing en route. They will also take this opportunity to drop in on friends in that area.

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Vet Aid Program Is 6 Years Old

Last wek marked the sixth birthday of the GI Bill, a law passed June 22, 1944, to help World War II veterans get back into the swing of civilian living.

During the six years the act has been in effect, a majority of the nation's 15,300,000 World War II veterans have benefited by one or more of its three major provisions.

Those provisions are education and training at government expense; government-guaranteed and insured loans for homes, farms and businesses, and a readjustment allowance program to help tide veterans over during periods of unemployment or slack self-employment.

Some 7,000,000 ex-servicemen and women, at some time or another, have attended school or trained on-the-job or on-the-farm under the law's educational provisions. This program so far has cost more than $10 billion.

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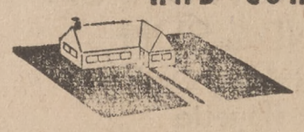

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OFFICERS CHANGE—At the final meeting of the Orinda Mothers' Club at the Orinda School recently, Mrs. J. H. Schwarck (seated left) accepts the presidency from Past President Mrs. Donald Krotz. Other officers for the coming year are (standing, left to right) Mrs. Arthur Henry, Mrs. Theonta Krantz, Mrs. Roger Stark and Mrs. Robert Bigler.

The Concord-Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association welcomes horsemen of the Fifth Region to Concord this year for their annual regional eliminations.

Junior eliminations will start on Saturday, July 15, and be concluded July 16. All other contests will take place on Sunday starting at 10 a.m.

The junior committee has arranged two classes of instruction so that all the children that will be competing may familiarize themselves with the type of examination to be given them. The first class was held on Tuesday, June 20, at 7 p.m. at Ten Acre Ranch, Walnut Creek, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Gray. The next class will be held Saturday, July 1, at 1 p.m. at the Double W Ranch, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wood in Clayton Valley. For all information pertaining to the junior eliminations, you are cordially invited to call George Walling, 4920 Mountain Boulevard, Oakland, Kellog 4-9468, or Joe Shroyer, Ten Acre Ranch, Walnut Creek, W.C. 5210.

The other events to be held are relay race, ring spearing, quadrangle stake race, calf roping, team roping, both senior and junior drill teams. These are all team events, and each club may enter only one team in each event. We will also have a pole bending class which will be open to all individuals. The California State Horsemen's Association's rules will prevail on all classes.

Immediately following Sunday's events, there will be a barbecue, cost of which will be $2.25. Reservations for the barbecue must be on hand by July 12 at the office of the Concord-Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association, Concord.

At Nat'l Guard Training

Major Everett Baker left Saturday morning for San Luis Obispo to join the 49th Division of the National Guard, "California's Own," in the two-week training course now under way. Baker is employed at the Lafayette branch of Coast Counties Gas and Electric.

County Music Teachers Meet

The Contra Costa Music Teachers' Association met recently at the studio of Mary Nunes Souza.

Mrs. D. Gaye Wingeyer of Berkeley and a member of the association played a group of piano numbers of contemporary composers.

Mrs. Nellie H. Alexander, president, and Mrs .Clara King Floyd, secretary, will attend the convention of the M. T. A. in San Diego, July 5-8.

Others attending the recent meeting were Mrs. Fern Aagard, Mrs. Scola Gambino, Mrs. Lillian E. Brudford, Mr. Frederick Freeman and Mrs. Myra Tagg from Walnut Creek.

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Ready for School

A bumper crop of twins is included in the registration of new children for opening of kindergarten in September. Of the 167 youngsters whose parents have gone through the signing-up procedure at Lafayette Grammar School, there are five sets of twins.

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Final District Vote For Central Committees Told

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Republican — Robert J. Pedder, 3,170; John S. Pedder, 2,085; Raymond D. Van Tassell, 1,861; Don H. Bonar, 1,752.

Democratic—Pauline O. Johnson, 1,490; T. Eugene Haney, 1,366 .

HIT-RUN TALLY—789

A total of 789 major hit-and-run cases resulting in death, injury or property damage occurred in the rural areas of California during the first five months of the year, Commissioner Clifford E. Peterson of the California Highway Patrol, announced.

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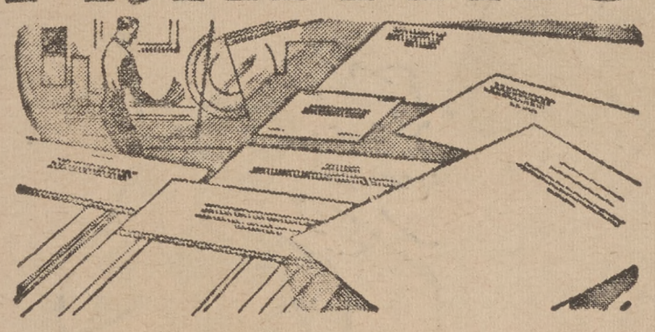

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William Lorimer Receives Degree From S.J. State

William E. Lorimer of Orinda was one of the 1150 students who received degrees and/or teaching credentials at the annual commencement exercises of San Jose State College last Friday. The class was the largest in the history of the college. Commencement was held in the Spartan Stadium.

The only Orinda student in the June graduating class received an A. B. degree with a general elementary teaching credential.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

A Lesson-Sermon will be read in Christian Science Churches on Sunday, July 2, on the subject "God," with the Golden Text taken from Psalms: "Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at his holy hill; for the Lord our God is holy" (99:9).

Included in the citations comprising the sermon, chosen from the Bible and from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will be the following:

Ephesians: "There is one body, and one Spirit, even as ye are called in one hope of your calling; One Lord, one faith, one baptism, One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all" (4:4-6).

Science and Health: "One infinite God, good, unifies men and nations; constitutes the brotherhood of man; ends wars; fulfils the Scripture, 'Love thy neighbor as thyself'; annihilates pagan and Christian idolatry, — whatever is wrong in social, civil, criminal, political, and religious codes; equalizes the sexes; annuls the curse on man, and leaves nothing that can sin, suffer, be punished or destroyed" (p. 340).

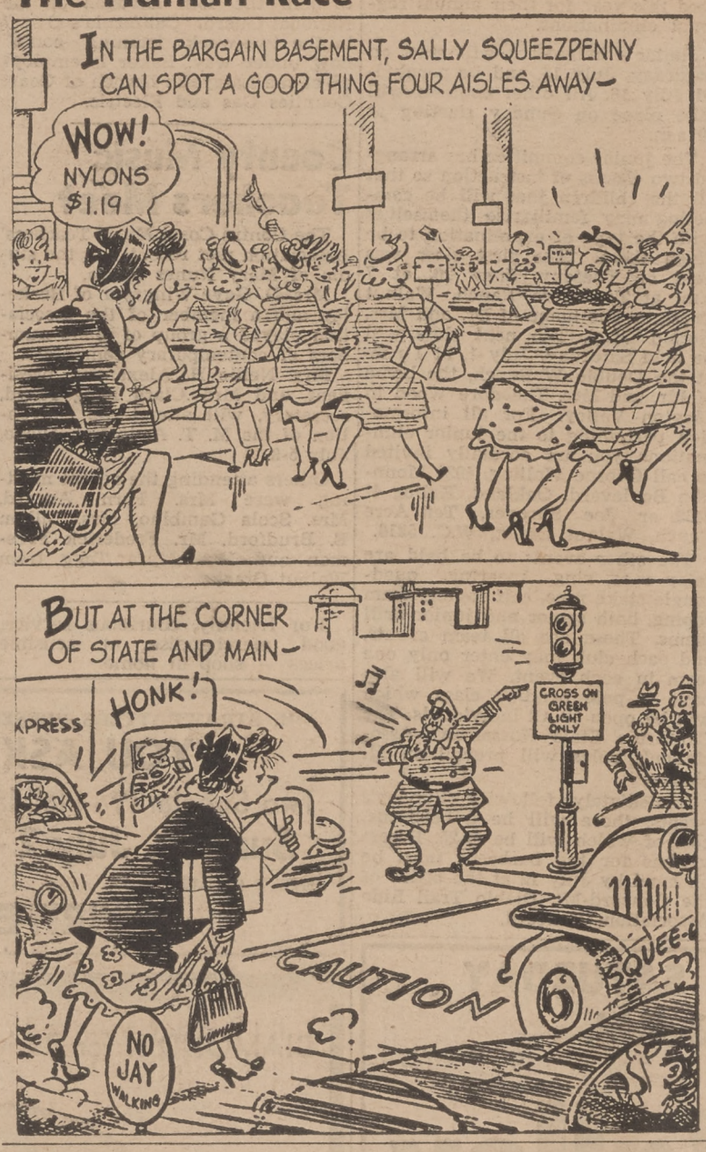
CAMP IN YOSEMITE

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller of Lafayette, accompanied by son, Danny, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gerecke, spent last week camping in Yosemite Valley.

TANZERS NOW LIVE HERE

Mr. and Mrs. John Tanzer, formerly of Oakland, are new residents of Lafayette. They have occupied their new home on Beechwood Drive for the past several months.

The Human Race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Nursery School Opens July 3rd

The Pied Piper Play Center, a cooperative nursery school for children in the Sun Valley, Walnut Creek area, will open about July 3 for a two-month summer session at Montecito School.

At the last meeting of the group, Mrs. Alyce Dale of Sun Valley was appointed director.

Elected officers of this new group are Mrs. Arnold Thompson, president; Mrs. Richard Kroninger, vice-president; Mrs. Clinton Wing, secretary; Mrs. John Sehring, treasurer.

Committee chairmen include: Membership, Mrs. Roy Wallin; Educational, Mrs. Jack Cullin; Purchasing, Mrs. H. O. Johnson; Father's Committee ,Mrs. Richard Kroninger; Health, Mrs. Harold Hansen, and Publicity and Fund Raising, Mrs. Robert T. Adams.

Applications for the summer session, which will include children between the ages of 3 and 5½, are being considered in order received.

STIRLINGS TO ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stirling of Beechwood Drive will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snyder and daughter, Kathleen, who are driving down from Sacramento on Sunday.

Residents Share In $272,491 Will

Mrs. Bernice W. Ellis of Lafayette and her two brothers, Harry and Melvin Williamson, together with her daughter, Susan, will share in an estate valued at $272,491, left by the mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Williamson of Berkeley who died July 22, 1948, it was disclosed recently.

Besides her activity as Republican national committeewoman, Mrs. Williamson, widow of Luther M. Williamson, Berkeley capitalist, took active part in many civic and political organizations.

An appraisal of her property filed in Superior Court by the law firm of Clark and Morton revealed that the bulk of it is Berkeley real estate, the most valuable parcels in the business sections of the campus city.

Mrs. Williamson left no will and her estate was probated by her three children.

Combs Family Returns From Yosemite Camp

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Combs of Beechwood Drive, accompanied by their two sons, returned Saturday from a vacation trip to Yosemite. Combs drove his family there the Saturday before, returning to Lafayette while they camped and explored the calley during the week, and going to bring them home last weekend.

Mrs. Combs' mother, Mrs. Harry Ellis, and Miss Margaret McQuarrie, both of Los Angeles, will leave Monday for their homes in Southern California after a visit at the Combs' home in Lafayette.

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Dale King Has Television Lamp On Display in S.F.

Dale King of the Craft Shop in Lafayette has a television lamp on display at the Decorative Arts Gallery, San Francisco Museum of Art, as part of an exhibit of form and design in the Bay region.

The lamp, designed by Mrs. King, is tubular in shape and has several light adjustments. It is one of 25 items selected for the exhibit and is a real honor to the local artist.

This lamp design is receiving much favorable comment throughout the Bay area. Two leading stores in San Francisco are featuring the lamp. In Lafayette it can be seen at Jellett's and the Craft Shop.

Schrueder Gets Merchant Marine Academy Degree

Joseph Anthony Schrueder, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 1940, Lafayette, was graduated last week from the United States Merchant Marine Academy at King's Point, N. Y.

He was among the 220 graduates who received bachelor of science degrees—the first class to receive such degrees since authorization by Congress last year.

Schrueder's graduation gives him third officer's papers and the rank of ensign.

Shop at home and save!

Supervisors Okay Land Use Permits

Following the recommendation of the Planning Commission, the Board of Supervisors Monday granted W. H. Purcell permission for three setbacks at Moraga Del Rey, Unit 1, Francisco Court: Lot 42, 16 feet; lot 43, eight feet; lot 44, 12 feet.

The board approved David Altmann's application for a five-foot side yard on the west side of a parcel fronting 85 feet on the south side of St. Mary's Road.

Upon recommendation of the Planning Commission, the request of Gertrude Shierry for a one-foot rear yard at one point of her property on East Street in Lafayette was also granted.

The property is in a Multiple Residential-Agricultural zone.

Guests From Honolulu Visit Arthur Iretons

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ireton of Lafayette had as their guests last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Gertz of Honolulu. Recently arrived from Hawaii, the Gertzes are relatives-by-marriage of the Iretons.

The Iretons took them to Planter's Dock for dinner. Also in the party were Mrs. Irene Linneman, originally from Hawaii but now living at Carmel and the Iretons' daughter, Jane Ireton, from Sausalito.

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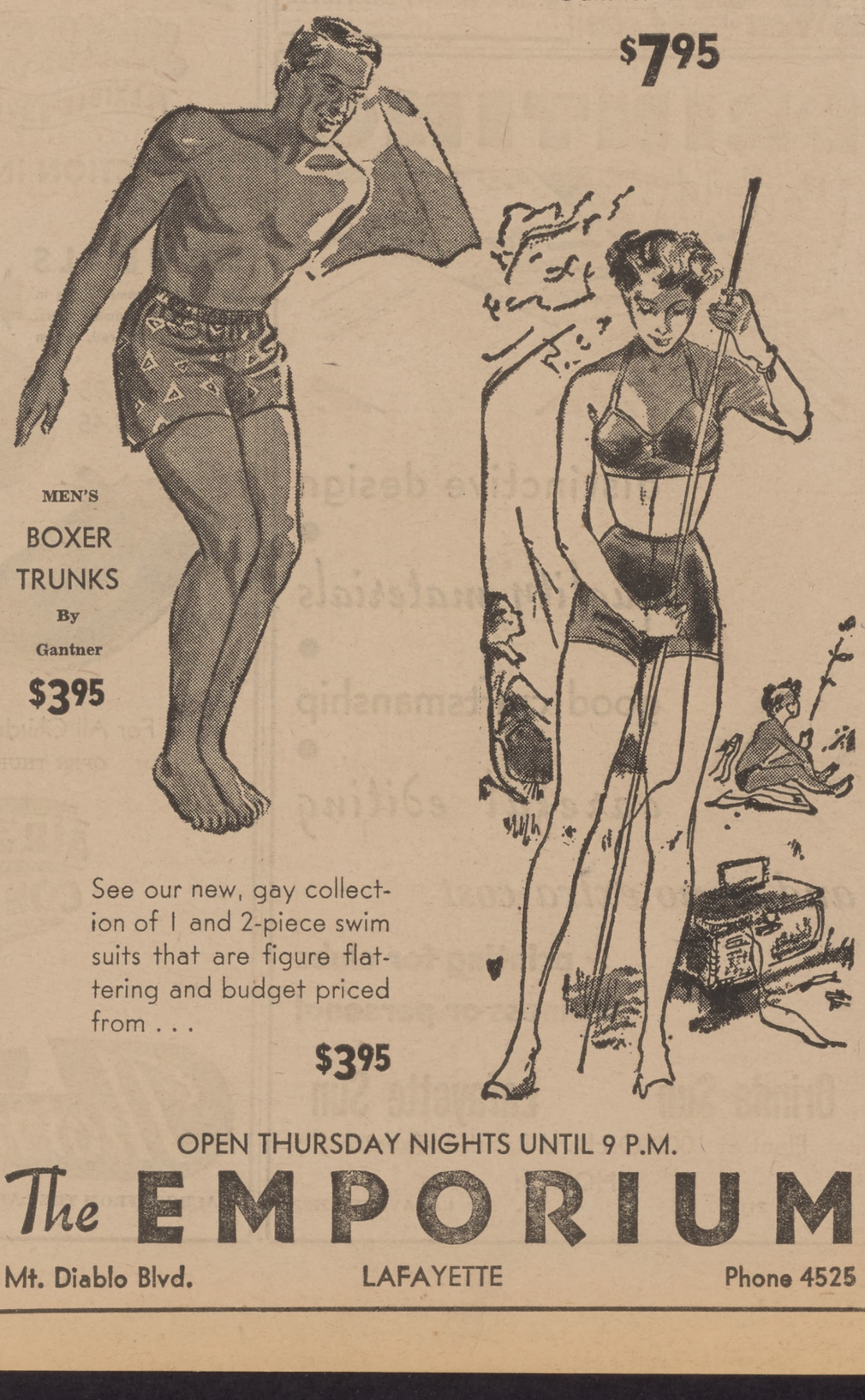

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Over 100 Attend Orinda Lions Club Installation Event

More than a hundred Orinda Lions, their wives and other guests attended the club's dinner-dance at Orinda Willows Monday evening, with highlight of the program the formal installation of officers for the 1950-51 term.

T. S. "Tommy" Nielson, past Lions International Counselor, officiated at the induction of Donald E. Hunter as president; Al Meggs, first vice president; Walter Friberg, second vice president; William H. Worden, third vice president; R. P. Rasmussen, secretary; C. P. McVicker, treasurer; J. B. McMahon, Wayne Littlejohn, Albert Eberlin and George O. Hartzell, directors; Thomas Snow, tail twister, and Roy Nason, lion tamer.

Retiring President Carl C. Miller addressed the group briefly, and George F. Hartzell presented awards. Special awards given to a number of members of the Orinda service club included those for 100 per cent attendance for the past year, five year perfect attendance pins and one 10-year perfect attendance pin, which went to Paul Vashell.

Miller was especially honored by attendance of a number of members of the Oakland 20-30 Club, to which he formerly belonged.

Guest Fred Youdall entertained the audience with a monologue in which he presented a fictitious treasury report. Musical selections and dancing concluded the evening affair.

Summer Gets Off To a Fast-Flying (Saucer) Takeoff

Summer got off to a flying start for Mrs. Opal Barnhart, bookkeeper at the SUN office.

Flying-saucer start would be more accurate, for a flying saucer is what the object seen in the sky last week by her looked like.

'Twas about 1:45 p. m. on Thursday, June 22, Mrs. Barnhart, talking on the telephone, was glancing through the window of the SUN office, in an easterly direction. Suddenly she waved her free hand excitedly, but her fellow-employees thought maybe she was just feeling unusually energetic.

When her phone conversation was over, she explained what it was all about. "As I was looking out the window," she said, "I saw something flash in the sky. It was a round, almost flat object, silvery in color, bulging a bit in the middle. It was flying very fast, at an angle, high up over the trees, in a northeasterly direction. When the sunlight hit it, it flashed brightly.

"It flew off in the direction of Concord. By the time I hung up the phone, it was out of sight. Until now, I doubted that there were such things as flying saucers. Now I'm sure there are."

W. Mott, K. Morrish Are Oakland Rotary Officials

Two Orindans are among the officials of the Oakland Rotary Club who will assume office July 1. They are William Penn Mott, Jr., publicity chairman, and Kendric Morrish, member of the club's board of directors.

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Here and There in Orinda

San Diego Collings' Visit Orinda Collings'

Mrs. Paula Collings and family last weekend enjoyed the visit from San Diego of Paula's father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Collings. Collings is head master of John Brown Military Academy.

Fire Chiefs Warn No Fireworks

It's been a quiet week for the Orinda Fire Department (up to Thursday morning), but Chief H. E. Wyatt stressed yesterday that this is fire danger season, that permits are required for open fires and that just because July Fourth is around the corner people shouldn't get any fancy ideas about fireworks.

Fireworks are illegal in the county, he pointed out—and that means selling, possessing or using them.

Ten regulars of the Orinda department and four pieces of equipment fought a $1,000 grass fire for two hours June 21 at the property of Dr. John L. Gompertz at 1 Hacienda Road. The backs of two guest houses were charred and several hundred feet of fencing were destroyed. Chief Wyatt said some children had seen other youngsters playing with firecrackers at the scene before the fire.

Joining Chief Wyatt in his warning against fireworks and against open burning without permit were Chief Shirley Peakes of Lafayette and Chief J. G. Leal of Moraga. Chief Leal stated his men are patrolling 24 hours a day.

Maximum penalty for the misdemeanor of selling, having or using fireworks is $500 fine or six months in jail, or both.

Member of W.C. Art Club Has Important Role

Kisa Beeck, prominent and active member of the Diablo Art Association has been playing an important role in the developing and encouragement of the newly formed Sculpture Workshop group. Her recent discussion for the general meeting was so stimulating that many new members have joined this section.

Kisa has been awarded the Peabody Prize for Sculpture in the National Association of Women Artists, an exhibit now being held in New York City. She is at present having her work represented by three sculptures in the Oakland Art Gallery in the show for the jurors of the Oakland Annual Painting and Sculpture Show.

Among other notable jury members represented at the same show are Claire Faulkenstein and Jacques Schnier. Kisa has also been invited to show her work at the San Francisco Museum of Art in an exhibit honoring the Western Association of the Art Museum Directors.

The recent field trip for the Painting group of the D.A.A. proved to be highly successful with a large turnout. Their destination; Martinez Yacht Harbor. The salty atmosphere insured a pictorial success on canvas, with the boats in the harbor as a backdrop for the compositions.

Among the many interested members attending the sketch trip were Hiram Muelendyke, Donne Puckle, Guernsey Ford and Lillian Lytle.

A display of the work accomplished in the Painting and Ceramics groups to be published in the near future should prove of unusual interest with information to prospective members of the Diablo Art Association.

The recent meeting of the Workshop groups included modeling with clay and painting a still-life furnished by Hiram Muelendyke. The general plan has been to include the various activities of the organization, to keep the enthusiasm built up by the members, and to encourage the amateur and professional alike; combining their efforts toward one solution . . creative effort.

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Camera Club Holds Contest

Second quarterly competition of the Contra Costa Camera Club was held Tuesday night at Orinda Community Center. Winners were:

Salon Division — First, Challis Gore; second and third, Ben Randall.

Advanced Division—First, Jack Davis; second, J. Rose; third, A. Beede; fourth, H. Flanders; fifth, H. Allen.

Amateur Division—First, J. Davis; second, E. Walsh; third, C. McVicker; fourth, H. Flanders; fifth, S. G. Culver.

Jack Davis has moved up from amateur to advanced in the past three months.

Two cups—one for advanced and one for amateur—will be awarded to winners, to be held by them until the next quarterly contest. At the end of the year, winners with the most points will keep the cups.

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action by Attorney Fred B. Mellman, on behalf of Frank J. Laher and J. A. Fazio, unless the County Board of Supervisors abandons a 1,200-foot strip of the Old Tunnel Road near Lafayette, McFarland stated, as he had informed the supervisors, that E.B.M.U.D. has land abutting the county road and that this land is vital to anticipated future expansion of facilities.

Claiming that the strip known as Pine Lane between the Grant D. Miller filter plant and Musser Road belongs to his clients, Mellman said that if the county did not abandon it, suit would be filed to have E.B.M.U.D., Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, Pacific Gas and Electric Company and Coast Counties Gas and Electric Company declared "trespassers." Hearing on Laher's and Fazio's petition will be resumed by the supervisors August 7.

Telescope Crash Of 6 Cars Results In Injury of Six

Six persons were injured last Friday afternoon in a telescoping smashup of six cars at Upper Happer Valley Road and Mt. Diablo Blvd.

Treated at the County Hospital were Eugene Clements of Brentwood, 17, who had suffered a broken arm; James Hamlin, 16, Brentwood, and Thomas Ferguson, 16, Brentwood. Hamlin and Ferguson received cuts and bruises in the accident, as did Barbara Healy, 20, of Piedmont; Clair Titas, 42, of Point Arena, and Evalon Mae Divini, 45, of Oakland.

Robert Lee Latimer, 17, of Brentwood, who reportedly crashed into the fifth of a line of cars stopping to make a left turn onto Upper Happy Valley Road, was cited for following too closely behind another car and driving with control of his vehicle obstructed.

Minor damage was inflicted to the cars by the telescoping. Drivers, in front-to-rear lineup of the cars, were Anna Carole Morelli, 21, Martinez; John Anthony Davitt, 17, Alamo; Robert Murry Cutts, 70, San Francisco; Evalon Mae Davini, 45, Oakland; Walter Alexander Ruxton, 20, Piedmont, and Latimer.

The smashup occurred about 3:30 p.m.

Rob Anthonisen Attends Camp at St. Mary's

Rob Anthonisen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anthonisen of Orchard Road, started a two-week camp session at St. Mary's College last Sunday. One hundred and 40 boys from 7 to 14 are enrolled at the camp, which is sponsored by the Christian Brothers.

The boys live in the campus dormitories and have a comprehensive summer program with qualified student counsellors to supervise them.

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Janet Morris Entertains Friends Over Weekend

Janet Morris entertained her three girl friends, Karen Almquist, Beverly Branch and Patty Smith, last weekend at her home on Loma Vista Drive.

First they all had dinner together, then the girls had a hilarious time playing charades. The guests stayed on for the "slumber" part of the party. After a grand breakfast next morning, Mrs. Morris packed a lunch for the girls, and they all hiked down to the Park Pool, where they picnicked and swam the rest of the day.

STORK ..CLUB..

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth F. Nattress and two daughters, Susan, 6, and Karen, 3, of 90 Tara Road, Orinda, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, Kenneth Francis Nattress, Jr., on June 11 at Providence Hospital in Oakland. Junior weighed 5 lbs., 7 oz. at birth.

Canyon Dads, 'Crackers' Hold Playoff Game

By RUTH SEEDS

Moraga School's "stadium" was the scene of a double header softball game Sunday.

The first game was a playoff between the Canyon Dads and the Moraga "Crackers." Canyon gained an early lead in the bottom half of the first and continued to hold it throughout the game.

Home run hitters for Canyon were John Shally and Bill Glass.

Al Ferrara was the Cracker's only home run hitter, although several players from both teams slammed three-baggers (over the fence.) The Moraga team did not show its usual good form, perhaps due to a surprise substitution for the Canyon Dads in the first of the fourth. Ruth "Spook" Seeds, a Canyon mother and former semi-pro, covered second base for the rest of the game. The contest ended in a final score of 20-3 in favor of the Canyon Dads.

STARTING BATTERY

Canyon's starting battery was Arlo Compher, pitcher, and Allen Crawford, catcher. Moraga's starting batery, Roy Gessinger, pitcher with Bill Ross as catcher. Joaquin Freitas called the balls and strikes behind the plate, Joe Knipe and Curley Busan calling the bases. The second game of the scheduled double header was between the Canyon Dads and the Moraga "Lards" (over 160 pounds).

Only three innings were played as the Canyon Dads had an appointment to take the Cubs on a boat trip (not that the "ole men" were too fagged to play the double header). However, the game was tied 3-3 at the end of the third and an extra inning was played, with the score remaining tied 3-3. The game was then called with the understanding that the tie would be played off at a later date. Canyon's hits in the second game were held to a minimum due to the splendid pitching of Moraga Lard's Ed McLynn. Moraga's battery was Ed McLynn, pitcher, with Bill Ross behind the plate.

BIG CROWD

John Shally pitched for Canyon and Allen Crawford caught. Art Fleuti between innings, announced over the PA system that "this is the biggest crowd the 'stadium' has drawn this season." The plate umpire, Joaquin Freitas, good naturedly took the usual booing from the stands—but no pop bottles were thrown. Claude Seeds was base umpire.

The Canyon and Moraga Cubs, Pack 57, sold peanuts and pop with the Canyon Scouts selling the hot dogs. Joe Knipe, impersonating a blind beggar selling pencils ,took up a collection in a tin cup—which collection actually went for equipment for the Cubs and Scouts.

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Orinda Youngsters Celebrate Their Birthdays With Many Happy Parties

Orinda kids have had plenty of birthday cake and ice cream this past week. Birthday parties took them to the theater, on picnics and on the merry-go-round.

NANCY BRAILSFORD

Nancy Brailsford's fifth birthday was celebrated June 22. Joining in the festivities with her were her brother Billy, Margie Lee and Bobby Williams, Cathy Oliphant, Cassandra and Jet Horton, Diane Edelin, Terry and Holly Hall, Vicky Olsen, Barbara and Gail Murdock, Linda and Sharon Powell. Nancy is the daughter of the William Brailsfords of Woodland Road.

LYNN THOMPSON

Lynn Thompson's ninth birthday was the occasion for a supper and theater party on June 17. Invited to attend were her brothers, Tim and Clark, Bonnie Miner, Ginny Matey, Heidi von Guenthner, Julie Noller, Pamela Phillips, Myrne Decker, Bobette Root and Patsy Wilke. Lynn is the daughter of the Delbert Thompsons of Los Conejos.

BRUCE WILKE

Bruce Wilke invited a group of friends to help him celebrate his sixth birthday on June 25 with luncheon and a theater party. Present were Charles Blue, Mark Gentry, Robert Spott, Barry Howard, Bobby and Ricky Merriam, Scotty Huntley, Raymond Haywood, Kip Farrington and Johnny Reilly.

BOBBY ROCHESTER

Bobby Rochester celebrated his seventh birthday with a picnic party at Tilden Park June 22. Invited to join with him were his sister Susie, his cousins Diane, Nardy and E. J. Fontaine, Scot McFarland, Bill Schwarck, Donald Granberg, Charles Ward, Hellen Moylan, Lorna Wallace, Brian Reynolds and Jimmy Gilwee. Bobby is the son of the Roger Rochesters of Camino Sobrante.

GINNY MATEY

Ginny Matey was hostess to a group of her friends at luncheon on June 17 in honor of her ninth birthday. Her guests included her sister Bobbie, Myrne Decker, Freddie Lamb, Sheri Elder, Mary Caroline Foster, Sally Stewart, Julie Allen, Lynn Thompson, Bonnie Miner, Joan Hoyer, Linda Lancioni, Judy Courtright and Babette Ambler. Ginny is the daughter of the George Mateys on La Mesa Path.

JIMMY GILWEE

Jimmy Gilwee, son of the Russell Gilwees of La Cuesta, invited a group of first grade friends to a picnic in Tilden Park on June 15 in honor of his seventh birthday. Weiner roasting and hiking were enjoyed by Scot McFarland, Ted Brock, Steve Miller, Grigg DeWitt, Don Phillips, Bobby Rochester, Sandy Corbett, Kit von Guenthner and Bill Hilger. Also present was Mrs. Ann Copenhagen, who was the boys' kindergarten teacher last year.

JEFF SCHWARCK

Jeff Schwarck invited a group of friends to help him celebrate his eighth birthday at Tilden Park Monday. Joining in the fun with a picnic lunch and merry-go-round rides were Johnny Coates, Mike Bigler, Warren Smith, Mike Stahle, Bill Pedder and Jeff's brother Bill.

RAYMOND HAYWOOD

Raymond Haywood celebrated his seventh birthday on June 16 by inviting a group of friends to join with him in a picnic lunch, games and merry-go-round rides in Tilden Park.

Marilyn Rauch, 11, Falls From Bike, Breaks Knee Bone

Eleven-year-old Marilyn Rauch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rauch of Orinda, was expected back at her home, 105 Meadow Lane, late this week, after a couple of weeks at Peralta Hospital, Oakland.

Marilyn broke a bone in her right knee June 18 when she fell from her bicycle while riding on Glorietta Boulevard. Her leg will be in a cast for two months.

Marilyn is a student at Glorietta Grammar School. She hopes to be able to start her sixth grade studies when school opens in September.

Orinda Estates Assn. Announces New Committees

Members of three committees of the Orinda Estates Owners Association have been chosen by President R. E. Hansen.

At a recent meeting at Hansen's home, he named H. M. Olsen as planning and building committee chairman, Douglas Killingsworth to the entertainment committee and Roy J. Beckett as road and sewer committee chairman.

Assisting Olsen are Edward H. Kruse and H. J. Teachout. Assisting Beckett is Walter C. Storey.

No June Seafarers Meet

There will be no June meeting of the Seafarers, owing to the busy programs the members have with other affairs.

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'You Asked For It' In Final Showings

Those who have been intending to see "You Asked For It," the current Straw Hat Revue now playing at the Lafayette Town Hall ,ought to be reminded that there are only a few opportunities remaining to see this much-discussed combination of new and old favorites.

The popular revue, produced by the Straw Hat Theatre, Inc., ends its final full week Saturday. An all-new show, titled "Write It Off!" opens Friday, July 7.

You can phone your reservation to the Straw Hat office at BErkeley 7-6460. They will hold tickets for you until you can pick them up.

There will be two special preholiday performances of "You Asked For It." They are: Sunday, July 2, and Monday, July 3.

Mrs. Patterson Attends Gamma Phi Beta Meet

Bay Area delegates to the convention of Gamma Phi Beta, which opened last Thursday at Glenwood Springs, Colo., included Mrs. W. A. Patterson of Orinda, province director.

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